

364 AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE DROWNED

GERMANY'S ANSWER IS ON THE WAY

Wolff Bureau Says Germany Accepts Terms of U. S. 'In a Sense'

ACCEPTS 'IN A SENSE'

Washington Warns Public Not To Expect An Honest Reply

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Zurich, Switzerland, Oct. 12.—Baron Von Hussarek, premier of Austria-Hungary, has resigned, according to a Vossische Zeitung's correspondent's dispatch from Vienna. Emperor Charles has chosen, the correspondent says, Professor Lammasch, a pacifist and an adversary of the alliance with Germany, to succeed in the premiership.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 12.—The Wolff Bureau, the semi-official German news agency, is circulating a Frankfurter Zeitung dispatch from Berlin stating that Germany's reply to President Wilson's note was sent last night, and that it is, in a sense, an acceptance.

Washington Skeptical.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Oct. 12.—The German report that Chancellor Maximilian's reply to President Wilson's note of inquiry has been dispatched and indicating in a sense an acceptance of the president's peace conditions, brought forth an authorized statement to the public, warning against the belief that Germany is about to end the war by unconditional surrender.

Apparently no such thing as simple and direct dealing by German diplomats is looked for and even an official announcement meaning an unqualified avowal of acceptance of the peace terms would be viewed with open suspicion until the document had been received and examined.

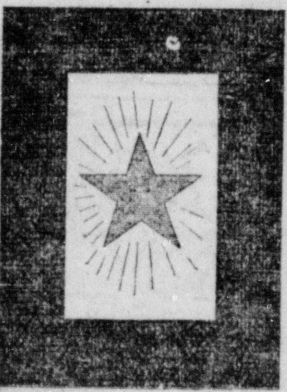
It is quite in keeping with German methods to seek at this critical time to befog the issue and unsettle opinion in enemy countries by creating a misleading impression that the war is over.

If the German reply was dispatched last night, as the report indicates, it will probably reach Washington not later than tomorrow night. The state department is

MORE OF THESE



MEANS LESS OF THESE



SOLDIER, WHO LOST ARM IN FIGHT, HERE

Sgt. Hoard Young of Kewanee Tells of the A. E. F. in France

BOOSTS FOURTH LOAN

Sergeant Howard H. Young of Kewanee, stopped over night at the Nachusa Tavern, on his way home from France, where he addressed a Liberty Loan meeting last night. Sergeant Young tells a wonderful story of the war and war conditions in France.

He is a member of the 55th company, 5th regiment of U. S. Marines. He was wounded twice in the battle of Chateau Thierry on June 3rd. One arm was shot off at the shoulder, exposing the lung. He was also wounded in one of his hands by a Hun's dirk.

Sergeant Young was sent to America to tell his story at Liberty Loan meetings, and brought home with him a dozen or fifteen soldiers who have been in active service on the front.

He stated that 80 per cent of the killed and wounded Marines left on the battle field had on their persons receipts for Liberty Bonds.

Sergeant Young has two gold chevrons on his right sleeve, indicating that he was wounded twice, and on his left sleeve he wears blue chevrons, indicating that he saw six months' service at the front.

Sergeant Young was accompanied of Dixon by F. W. Mozart, of the Federal Reserve bank of Chicago.

SCHOOL CLOSED ALL NEXT WEEK

By order of the Board of Education the southside public schools will remain closed all of next week, on account of the epidemic of grippe. The northside schools, with the exception of the Loveland school, will remain closed another week. The epidemic has not yet appeared in the community in which the Loveland school is located.

without advices concerning the reported Turkish and Austrian appeals for peace on the allies' terms.

Hun Papers Favorable.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Amsterdam, Oct. 12.—Commenting on the German peace proposal to President Wilson the Hamburg Fremdenblatt says:

The president's inquiry concerning the German peace note can be answered. The German government has accepted President Wilson's entire program without exception as a basis of peace and aims at further deliberations to reach a practical application of the terms. Nor does the request to evacuate occupied territory seem impossible to agree upon if guarantee is given that Belgium will not again become a war theater.

GATHERINGS OF ALL KINDS ARE FORBIDDEN

City Health Officials Issue Stringent Order This Morning

NO CHURCH TOMORROW

No Dances or Theaters Will Be Open—Schools Will Also Suspend

BULLETIN

Action taken by the state authorities forbids the assemblage of citizens on account of the present epidemic. Consequently the physical examination of registrants by the Local Board to be held at the Dixon Court House for the week beginning Monday, October 14th, is postponed until a later date.

LOCAL BOARD Lee County, Ill.

Under orders of Mayor Henry Schmidt and Commissioner of Health A. B. Whitcome, all churches, dances, schools and theatres will be closed beginning Sunday morning, and will remain closed until further notice from the city officials.

This order includes all public gatherings of any character, lodges, etc. The state board has issued an order closing all dance halls. There will be no dances permitted in Dixon tonight.

This order became necessary owing to the epidemic of grip or influenza. There are many cases in Dixon.

Not Many New Cases.
Health Officer Dr. W. R. Parker stated this morning that there were not many new cases and that if precaution was used the epidemic could be gotten under control soon.

Men's Club Meet Postponed.
The Men's club supper to have been held at the Y. M. C. A. next Monday evening, has been called off. Those holding tickets are requested to retain them, as the supper will be given at a future date. Secretary Davis of the association will get in touch with Dr. Gordon and ascertain when he can give his lecture when the closing ban has been lifted.

Officials of all cities in northern Illinois have issued orders similar to the order issued this morning by the Dixon officials. The epidemic is spreading in the state and it will take several weeks before it will be so that institutions can be opened to the public.

MEET THIS EVENING; DISCUSS CITY GOVT.

PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND A MASS MEETING AT CITY HALL TONIGHT

An election has been called for October 22nd, to determine whether the city shall continue under the present commission form of government, or return to the aldermanic form provided by the general law.

This is an important step and deserves thoughtful consideration. Both men and women are to vote upon it. It has been thought wise that a public meeting be held for the consideration of the merits of the present system and the possible dangers of abandoning it for one which was discarded 7-12 years ago. This meeting will be held at the City Hall this evening at 7:30. All interested are urged to attend.

MANHATTEN IS CLOSED TODAY

The Manhattan restaurant closed at noon today and will remain closed until after the funeral of Mrs. Fred Hull, the wife of the proprietor, who died this forenoon.

KEEP YOUR ROOMS WELL VENTILATED

HUNS BURN TOWNS ALL OVER FRONT

All Villages South of Laon Have Been Put To Torch By Huns

YANKS DRIVING HARD

Violent Battle Raging On American Front In France

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, Oct. 12.—German troops in the region of Douai are retiring behind the Sennee Canal. British forces have reached a line two miles west of Douai.

Yank Drive Goes On.

With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 12 (Noon).—General Pershing's forces continued their attack against the German positions on this front today. The German opposition seemed even more bitter, if possible, than yesterday.

The fighting on this front is especially violent in the center and left center. St. Juvin and Ounel, both of which towns are now in No. Man's Land, are in flames. The American troops are encountering heavy machine gun forces everywhere.

There is every indication that the enemy troops are being thrown into battle in a confused way. Prisoners frequently are unable to tell to what division they belong.

Many Towns Burning.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

With the French Army in the Champagne, Oct. 12 (Reuter's).—Vouziers and Guise, as well as every village in the whole region south of Laon, are burning. Cambrai Push Takes Rest.

The Germans have paused momentarily in their flight before the Anglo-American advance from the Cambrai-St. Quentin line and appear to be attempting to make a stand on the Selle river, which runs south from the tip of the allied wedge at Le Cateau.

The enemy line is apparently stationary along the front where they have hastily dug in. Field Marshal Haig's reports do not mention any new forward movements here.

The line is an extremely unstable one, however, and consists of mere scratches in the ground.

It is probable that the allied drive will be resumed as soon as the big guns and transports can catch up and

PLAN TO HOLD FESTIVAL FOR LEE CO. SOON

Farmers' Fall Festival To Be Held In Dixon At Early Date

PRAISE COUNCIL WORK

Dixon Men Pleased To Hear Of Splendid Work Being Done In Lee

The Lee county branch of the Woman's Council of National Defense held a very enthusiastic meeting last evening at the city hall, presided over by Mrs. J. G. Ralston, chairman.

The work and accomplishments of the organization since its commencement in this county was gone over and explained and plans were made for further financing the work.

To Hold Festival.

The result of the meeting was the decision to stage a mammoth "Farm Festival" in Dixon within a very short time, the details of which will

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FRANKLIN GROVE MAN KILLED BY A TRAIN

JOHN BALDRIDGE OLD RESIDENT FOUND DEAD ON TRACKS

Franklin Grove, Ill., Oct. 12.—Special to the Telegraph. John Baldridge, about 60 years of age, section man on the Chicago and Northwestern, was found dead along the right of way east of Franklin Grove about 5:45 last evening, and brought to town, where an inquest was held today, by Coroner Whetstone. It is believed that Mr. Baldridge was killed by a fast passenger train about 4 P.M. yesterday. His neck was broken and his body was badly bruised.

The rest of the section men had all gone to Elmhurst to work, and Mr. Baldridge was working alone on the track.

The dead man had lived in Franklin Grove for over 30 years and was very well known and very highly regarded. His death was a shock to the residents of the town. He is survived by a widow, who was formerly Miss Addie Williams.

AUTO DAMAGED, STRUCK BRIDGE

A young lady driving a Ford belonging to John Bovey, of Pennsylvania Corners, across Galena avenue bridge Friday afternoon, in turning out to pass a rig, ran the car into the bridge, doing considerable damage to the auto. Two rods were broken, one head light badly broken, a fender badly twisted and the radiator damaged badly. The accident was due principally to the slippery rail. Mr. Bovey was in the car. No occupant of the car was injured.

PAINTED AMBOY DELIVERY CAR

W. J. Fenton, meat market proprietor of Amboy, thought he could run his auto delivery on Sunday with impunity. He tried it last Sunday. Yesterday, when he went to his barn, near his house, to get his car, he found that during the night it had taken on a strange and sickly hue, and from radiator to rear wheels it was daubed with yellow paint.

TETRICK RITES MONDAY AT HOME

The funeral of Ralph Tetrick who passed away at the Aberdeen, Md. Proving grounds this week, will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of his parents, 1326 Peoria ave. he remains will arrive in Dixon at 2:16 o'clock tomorrow morning and will be taken to the home. The funeral services will be private.

CIGAR STORE TO CLOSE.

Following the spirit of the closing order issued by the health officials this morning, Stratton & Covert announce they will close their cigar store and news stand at noon tomorrow.

NEW PASTOR



REV. RALPH CALLAWAY.

Rev. Ralph V. Callaway, pastor of the First Christian church of Sterling, has accepted a call to fill the local Christian church pulpit until a permanent pastor can be secured. He will preach every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church, preaching his first sermon next Sunday, Oct. 13, instead of October 30th, as announced previously.

Rev. Callaway is a graduate of Drake University, at Des Moines, Ia., and also of the Texas Christian University, and has been preaching in this states since 1907—three years at Atlanta and Havana, each, and four years at Clinton, Ill.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these afternoon services. Bible school at 2 p. m.

PRESIDENT MARCHED IN LIBERTY PARADE IN NEW YORK TODAY

Man Tried to Greet the President in New York Liberty March

WAS REMARKABLE SHOW

Fighting Men of 22 Nations in New York Demonstration

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Oct. 12.—President Wilson marched today in the great Liberty Loan parade. The president took his place in the procession at 72nd street and was soon afterward stationed at the head of the American division, and amid a continuous roar of cheers he elad the division down Fifth avenue to the Altar of Liberty at Madison Square Gardens.

Just as the procession passed 51st street a man broke through the police lines and started toward the president in an attempt to shake hands with him. He was immediately seized by secret service men and placed in an auto which went speeding down Fifth avenue.

Crowd Enraged.

In the apparent belief that the man had contemplated harm to the president, the crowd started to move toward him, but the secret service men were too quick for them. It was noticed as the secret service men drove away with the prisoner that his head was bleeding. He was booked for disorderly conduct and the police said he was harmless.

A Great Parade.

Fighting men of 22 nations—from five continents and the islands of every sea—took part in the parade with the president. Scores of airplanes flying in battle formation, preceded the marchers.

THE WEATHER

SATURDAY, OCT. 12.	
By Associated Press Leased Wire	
Illinois—Generally fair tonight and Sunday; moderate temperature.	
Sunday	57
Monday	74
Tuesday	45
Wednesday	65
Thursday	62
Friday	74
	41

STEAMER OTRANTO ON ROCKS

Collided With Transport Kashmir Last Sunday

200 BODIES RECOVERED

300 Yank Soldiers Have Been Landed In Ireland

By Associated Press Leased Wire

An Irish Port, Oct. 12.—American soldiers to the number of 364 or 366 perished when the British armed mercantile craft Otranto and the transport Kashmir collided in the north channel between Ireland and Scotland last Sunday.

Get 200 Bodies.

Three hundred American soldiers, 30 French sailors, and 266 members of the crew of the Otranto have been landed on the north of Ireland. Sixteen other survivors were picked up at Islay. More than 200 bodies had been recovered up to this morning and many of them have been buried.

Otranto A Wreck.

The Otranto is a total wreck on the island of Islay. The Kashmir landed its troops at a Scottish port with no losses.

In a heavy storm, with a gaping hole in her hull, the Otranto drifted helplessly onto the rocky coast.

A number of the American troops were from the interior of the United States and were unused to the sea, and preferred to stay on the bigger ship than to jump to the decks of the small cruiser, Mounzy, which came to the rescue. The men were cheered by the sight of land and had hopes of a safe landing. These hopes were destroyed when the Captain shouted, "Well, boys, I guess we'll have to swim for it."

About that time the ship slid, with hardly a jar, on a shelf of rock and the rock bit its teeth into the ship's timbers and held her in a vice-like grip. After that, tragedy came quickly. Men by the score were swept off into the sea by the breaking loose of the superstructure.

The ship had struck about a mile from shore and on the cliffs stood groups of highlanders who were eager to aid, but owing to the terrific storm there was no chance to get a line to the fast breaking up vessel.

Scores of soldiers jumped overboard to swim for it, but

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ORDER OF LEE COUNTY MEN IS NOW DETERMINED

2911 to 2920

1836—Jesse Parsley, Compton.
100—William Hammond DePuy, Dixon.
2360—Paul Carl John, Dixon.
1895—Frank August Mehlhausen, Ashton.
336—Vincent Joseph O'Gorek, Dixon.
2404—George James McCaffrey, Amboy.
1996—Harry Arthur Willstead, Harmon.
10—Staniston Ryszowy, Dixon.
1705—John Henry Griesse, Ashton.
1265—Byron Luverne Breunier, Franklin Grove.

2921 to 2930

683—John Dornhoefer, Dixon.
2361—Michael Francis Halligan, Amboy.
2314—William Henry Fischer, May Town.
1412—Frank Hupach, Amboy.
2318—Frank Kelly, May Township.
19—William Henry Walter, Dixon.
777—Herbert Moeller, Dixon.
1173—Berge Sergeon, Steward.
616—Joseph Burton Stackpole, Dixon.
2450—Frank Harry Cramer, Dixon.

2931 to 2940

2703—George Martini LeFevre, Dixon.
1243—Frank Bohart, Ashton.
2810—Earl Ellsworth, Sublette.
3197—Samuel Boring, Hagerstown, Md.
1322—John Pletzing, Ashton.
690—Eugene Gannon Cahill, Dixon.
29—Steve Konty, Dixon.
2710—William Bernard Janssen, Dixon.
40—Isaac Berei, Dixon.
1427—Ervin Fred Schroeder, Amboy.

2941 to 2950

1344—Chris Hildebrand, Ambol.
296—Charles Clinton Rorick, Dixon.
3239—Fred William Henry, Paw Paw.
1742—Wilbur Martin Jeanblanc, Compton.
1549—Harry Philip Blum, Amboy.
650—John Wesley Riecke, Dixon.
1686—Albert William Carl Taubenhelm, Ashton.
830—Lee Robert Mathias, Dixon.
2538—Fritz Sophus Plambeck, Dixon.
361—James Healey Tosney, Dixon.

2951 to 2960

212—Nick Lazaar, Dixon.
64—Fletcher Bennett, Dixon.
2583—Hearman Emil Janssen, Harmon.
1922—John Raymond Eckhart, Franklin Grove.
2783—Frederick R. Fustman, Dixon.
2934—Charles Ephraim Williams, Sublette.
2097—Clarence Jones, Harmon.
640—Frank Carl Ortgiesen, Dixon.
440—Patrick James McIntyre, Dixon.
3257—John Edward Fightmaster, Paw Paw.

2961 to 2970

1579—John Joseph Conway, Amboy.
150—Wayne Craddock Smith, Dixon.
2599—Eric Mitchell Weed, Dixon.
3302—Frank Detig, Watertown.
102—Charles Ernest Grobe, Dixon.
324—Thomas Eugene O'Malley, Dixon.
1161—John Grunderson Winterton, Steward.
923—William Alexander Abel, Dixon.
2618—Arthur James Stizel Palmer, Nelson.
933—Clyde Wilfred Chronister, Dixon.

2971 to 2980

1827—Fred Denikas, Compton.
124—Benjamin K. Peacock, Dixon.
2837—Troy Albert Reinhart, Dixon.
6—George Lawrence Miller, Dixon.
1094—Vernon Raymond Smith, Steward.
161—Jesse Oscar Jones, Dixon.
2337—George Joseph Quest, Ohio.
326—Robert Austin Ladley, Dixon.
1188—Adelbert William Knapp, Franklin Grove.
732—John Kellar, Dixon.

2981 to 2990

1646—Milton George Vaupel, Ashton.
1816—Levi Johnson, Compton.
935—Darrell Lovering Palmer, Dixon.
2352—James A. Godfrey, Earlville.
2984—Charles William Clopine, Compton.
242—Dallas Martchel Twigg, Dixon.
1047—Henry Chester Warner, Dixon.
1948—Delly Austin Oldham, Franklin Grove.
2099—Richard Charles Egan, Harmon.
2899—Ernest Howard Sulton, Sublette.

2991 to 3000

2103—Frank Novak, Van Patten.
1764—Phillip Mathias Fassig, West Brooklyn.
820—Albert Arthur Hobbs, Dixon.
371—Charles Henry Quinn, Dixon.
179—James Richard Blackburn, Dixon.
2626—Frederick Jacob Heckman, Dixon.
2315—Matthew James Kelley, Sublette.

375—Ernest Cornelius Lumsden, Dixon.
769—Alonzo Herbert Birdsong, Dixon.
2139—Leo John Apple, Harmon.
3001 to 3010
2494—George Henry Weyant, Nachusa.
3074—John Charlie Whitby, Lee.
298—Charles Fred Duis, Dixon.
1818—William Albert Florscheutz, Compton.
1592—Edward William Hayes, Amboy.
1501—Charles Henry Baier, Amboy.
499—Albert J. Malarkey, Dixon.
375—Lee C. Good, Dixon.
1166—Clyde Palmer Mittan, Steward.
380—Charles Leo Cahill, Dixon.

3011 to 3020
1834—Ralph Monroe Carnahan, Compton.
2515—Clarence Edwin Kinney, Dixon.
2478—Willard Cushing Albertson, Dixon.
3216—Grant Rogers, Paw Paw.
1635—James Peter Klausen, Amboy.
2863—Gilbert George Brucker, Sublette.
1015—Epha Edgar Snider, Dixon.
1079—Embra Harmon English, Dixon.
1920—John Ellis Maronde, Franklin Grove.
2604—John William Oswald, Nelson.

3021 to 3030
74—William Kendrick, Dixon.
2980—Charles Flynn, Webster City, Iowa.
1229—Casper Everett Sandrock, Ashton.
2196—John Logan Wadsworth, Dixon.
2324—Frank Henry Newhouse, Sublette.
2284—Mathew James Kelley, Sr., Sublette.
2951—Thomas Rueben Angier, Sublette.
789—Joseph Patrick Keenan, Dixon.
1410—Robert F. Thrasher, Amboy.
1520—Charles C. Renif, Amboy.

3031 to 3040
1651—Everett Siden, Ashton.
2606—Edward Oscar Ortgiesen, Nelson.
1709—Theodore Evert Hunrichs, Franklin Grove.
3034—Eugene Henry Boucan, West Brooklyn.
645—Simon Moody Hinds, Dixon.
1018—Henry Jacob Smith, Jr., Dixon.
3225—Robert Lee Coss, Paw Paw.
187—Royal Gerald Jones, Dixon.
409—Charles Krug, Dixon.
2128—Guy Franklin Williams, Harmon.

3041 to 3050
94—Howard Elmo Drew, Dixon.
81—Raymond P. Jeanquant, Dixon.
2261—Peter Conrad Reinhard, Amboy.
3140—Lars Larson Espe, Lee.
2696—Walter Brauer, Dixon.
1900—Winn Sprague Wasson, Franklin Grove.
1115—John Albert Mihm, Steward.
3246—Charles Fletcher Hammond, Paw Paw.
1486—Louis Abel Faivre, Amboy.
546—Wesley Steele, Dixon.

3051 to 3060
2496—Joseph Johnson, Jr., Nachusa.
3160—Joseph Frank Schweiger, Compton.
9—Stefan Zmudka, Dixon.
2235—George Noble Daniels, Amboy.
762—John Bernard James, Dixon.
2101—Roscoe Orville Brooks, Walnut.
2417—John Dean O'Malley, Amboy.
2924—John Elmer Mahaffey, West Brooklyn.
2505—Jesse Theodore Emmert, Nachusa.
955—Carl LaCour, Dixon.

3061 to 3070
518—John Wilson Lightner, Dixon.
2421—Eugene Harlen Taylor, Amboy.
2598—Elmer Sewall Cleary, Nelson.
1376—William Raymond Morrissey, Amboy.
439—Paul Leon Petit, Dixon.
3300—Thomas Fleming, Watertown.
513—Lester Leyanson Burrs, Dixon.
1403—Arthur William Garth, Amboy.
1484—James Henry Hodgson, Amboy.
1063—Harry Jacob Long, Dixon.

3071 to 3080
2019—Henry Reuter, Amboy.
2916—Charles Avery Robinson, Sublette.
2290—Joseph Benedict Leffelman, Sublette.
2265—Eri Birt Conibear, West Brooklyn.
1734—Frank Xavier Halbmaier, Jr., West Brooklyn.
2891—Arthur John Tourillott, Sublette.
1491—Andrew Poland Kent, Amboy.
708—Richard Gorham Slocum, Dixon.
461—John Roy Knapp, Dixon.
1921—William Fred Schafer, Franklin Grove.

3081 to 3090
2412—Walter Matthew Grant, Walton.
133—Charles Ellsworth Kime, Dixon.
874—William Herbert Lohr, Dixon.
1090—Glenn Allen Poell, Steward.
1482—Roy Roessner Peltz, Amboy.
1130—Peter Martin Johnson, Steward.
706—Wendell Addison Drummond, Dixon.
2690—Mark David Williams, Dixon.
465—William Tracy, Dixon.
2589—Harry David Freed, Dixon.

3091 to 3100
2367—Charles James O'Malley, Sublette.
968—Charles Frederick Bunnell, Dixon.
85—Harry Augusta Schuler, Dixon.
2773—George Albert May, Dixon.
3278—Daniel Edmund Coffey, Paw Paw.
1956—Christian Edward Hillison, Franklin Grove.
2868—Harry Herold Berogan, Sublette.
2853—Lester Leroy Rhodes, Dixon.
808—Charles Edward Hooker, Dixon.
3060—William Henry Harrmann, Scarborough.
3101 to 3110
2754—Fred Jacob Lenord Erbes, Steward.
1092—Curtis Alvin Quinto, Steward.
1006—Frank Suter, Dixon.
2428—Isaac Lawrence Shank, Dixon.
3—Edward Owen Finnegan, Dixon.
2069—James Robert Keigwin, Walnut.
2693—Gilbert Dale Glessner, Dixon.
540—Charles Albert Camery, Dixon.
1729—James William Loan, West Brooklyn.
1045—Louis Oscar Andres.

3111 to 3120
1101—Ole Hall, Steward.
1715—Henry Thomas Barr, West Brooklyn.
2210—Fred Henry Meyer, West Brooklyn.
2371—Harry Irvan Miller, Dixon.
1564—Bert Bernell Brewer, Amboy.
823—Fayne Franklin Bender, Dixon.
2106—Edward Thomas McCormick, Harmon.
3272—Leon Adams Faber, Paw Paw.
1413—Charlie McCord, Amboy.
946—Merton Webster Squier, Dixon.
3121 to 3130
1931—Fred Jerome Blocher, Franklin Grove.
459—Chester John Bullis, Dixon.
3221—Jesse James Beemer, Paw Paw.
561—Robert Raymond Ryan, Dixon.
2439—Ralph Otis Dixon, Dixon.
1763—George Untz, West Brooklyn.
1195—Andrew Conrad Kaecker, Ashton.
119—Eldridge Hazelton Heath, Wala Wala, Wash.
689—George William Krug, Dixon.
829—Arvid Ledine, Dixon.

3131 to 3140
68—Joseph Fagan, Dixon.
2131—Royce Vernon Parker, Rock Falls.
2271—John Thomas Graf, Amboy.
2952—Frank Joseph Lett, Sublette.
1587—Abraham Louis Weaver, Amboy.
3271—Irvin Howard Larabee, Earlville.
2443—John Frederick Sauer, Dixon.
2563—Henry Bollman, Dixon.
849—Edward Valle, Dixon.
1189—Herman Ubisch Greenfield, Ashton.

3141 to 3150
2032—Christian Dimmig, Walnut.
1415—David Lewis Draman, Amboy.
1999—James Franklin Beaber, Ohio.
517—Herbert Geiger, Dixon.
1847—Willie Zinke, Mendota.
1100—Norvald Cjermund Maakestad, Norge, Va.
2392—Michael Blackburn, Amboy.
43—Conrad Groth, Dixon.
2012—George Daniel Latta, Ohio.
3289—Marion Francis Holbert, Amboy.

3151 to 3160
1069—Jesse Ulysses Weyant, Dixon.
1000—George Edward Curtis, Dixon.
3205—George Philip Arndt, Paw Paw.
3264—Adam Barber, Paw Paw.
2667—William Edward Rhodes, Dixon.
2342—Wm. Thomas, Amboy.
3069—George Elmo Ketchum, Paw Paw.
2625—Jacob Gatz, Sterling.
870—Bertram Guy Robinson, Dixon.
767—James Edward Swartz, Dixon.

3161 to 3170
1157—Thomas Gabriel Daum, Steward.
1735—Albert Martin Bieschke, W. Brooklyn.
2549—Charles Francis Hester, Belvidere.
2723—Lewis Albert Barth, Rochelle.
635—Paul Verhamme, Dixon.
1014—Ralph Merlin Flick, Dixon.
1335—Fayette Benjamin Ross, Amboy.
844—Joseph Bucher, Dixon.
991—Allen Newcomb Smith, Dixon.
2635—Frank Alfred Beede, Dixon.

3171 to 3180
1459—Joseph Yohn, Amboy.
137—John Robert Kirtley, Dixon.
2076—Orlando Shurden Thompson, Harmon.
2277—John Joseph Schmall, Lee Center.
2095—William John Gettle, Walnut.
1463—Henry Winslow Smith, Amboy.
523—Henry Edward Boyer, Dixon.
2898—Leon Anthony Lauer, Sublette.
881—Earl Wesley Drew, Dixon.
2269—Richard Oliver Willey, Amboy.

3181 to 3190
1107—Octoviano Moreno, Steward.
2956—George Weisensel, Sublette.
2684—Lawrence Daniel Book, Dixon.
2153—James Leroy Scanlan, Harmon.
1238—Edgar Bradfield McClure, Ashton.
741—George W. Smith, Dixon.
259—Valentine August Heft, Dixon.
3248—Acie Thomas Jordan, Paw Paw.
1386—William Henry E. Lupton, Amboy.
1804—Gustave Engelhardt, Compton.

3191 to 3200
2847—George Wesley Travis, Dixon.
1163—Edward Dauid, Steward.
982—James William Ballou, Dixon.
1461—Robert William Prytherch, Amboy.
2317—Jens Henry Jensen, LaMoille.
2077—Bertie Lee Kearby, Harmon.
861—Alonzo Boyer, Dixon.
1411—Lester Leroy Brink, Amboy.
1118—Anton Olla Risetter, Steward.
1299—Oliver Perry Farver, Ashton.

3201 to 3210
2947—Samuel Leffelman, Sublette.
698—Willis Sherwin Adams, Dixon.
3059—Charley Fick Mittan, Paw Paw.
537—James Jasper Green, Dixon.
1618—Albert Edward Wheaton, Amboy.
1143—Frank Anton Ganzer, Steward.
406—Vincent Leo Downs, Dixon.
2062—Frank Hartman, Harmon.
1943—Reinhart Christian Gross, Franklin Grove.
2846—Ralph Dudley Shoemaker, Eldena.

3211 to 3220
2021—Herman Benhart Kerber, Sublette.
654—William Lee Covert, Dixon.
2746—Fred Carl Smith, Ashton.
1323—William Benjamin Stimpert, Amboy.
1797—John Samuel Archer, Compton.
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COMING EVENTS

Monday.

W. R. C. Meeting, G. A. R. Hall

WEDDING TOMORROW—

The marriage of Miss Edith L. Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Miller, to Charles Franks, will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's sister, Miss Velma Miller, will be the maid of honor and George Pappas will be best man. Rev. E. C. Lumsden, pastor of the Methodist church, will read the service.

WITH PARENTS—

Misses Ethel and Mabel Fuller of Detroit, Mich., are here to spend a ten-day vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fuller.

TO VISIT NEPHEW—

Joseph Shelhamer left Thursday evening for Milford, Neb., to visit his nephew, Charles Wertman.

RETURN TO NEBRASKA—

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hinton, of Curtis, Neb., who have been guests at the J. P. Manges home, left Wednesday for their home.

HERE FROM IOWA—

Mrs. George Stutzel, of McCausland, Ia., is here, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Aschenbrenner.

VISITS NIECES—

Thomas Woolley, of Chicago, is here to visit his nieces, Mrs. W. C. Jones and Mrs. S. W. Youngman.

DINNER PARTY—

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morris of Franklin Grove, entertained at dinner Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman and daughter, Katherine, of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hicks, of Lee Center; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lehman and sons, Galen and Clare, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cline and family, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Morris and daughter Miss Lucille, of Franklin Grove, and Mrs. Robin Hartwell, of Dixon. The dinner honored the birthday of Miss Lucille Morris. Candles, a pumpkin centerpiece, and autumn leaves attractively decorated the dinner table.

ENTERTAINED CLUB—

Miss Ruth Chiverton entertained the members of the S. F. O. club on Thursday evening in honor of her birthday.

SCRAMBLE DINNER—

Members of the Ladies of G. A. R. Circle No. 73, and of Dixon Post, G. A. R., and their families, spent a delightful evening and enjoyed a scramble dinner Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Breemer, of West First street. Mr. Breemer is commander of the Post and Mrs. Breemer is a past president of the circle. Fifty guests enjoyed the excellent dinner, consisting of every imaginable good thing. Mr. Goodrich, a comrade, and his wife, of Fresno, California, were among the guests. They are visiting in Dixon with their daughter, Mrs. Swingley, and the former's brother, A. W. Goodrich. The delightful social evening which followed the supper, was made especially enjoyable by the singing of a number of patriotic songs in unison.

STENOGRAPHERS NEEDED IN ARMY

The war department has sent out a call for 300 limited service stenographers for the air service. This is a good opportunity for limited service registrants who are qualified as stenographers to get into the service and they should report at the offices of the Lee County Local Board at once. 200 stenographers are needed at Washington and 100 are needed at various flying fields.

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THE WIFE

By JANE PHELPS

BRIAN APOLOGIZES AND THEY SPEND A HAPPY EVENING

CHAPTER LXVI.

"I telephoned you, but you weren't at home," Brian said, again flushing painfully. "I felt depressed, not a bit like working, so called you out. I started to go alone, then I met Mollie, so took her."

Ruth listened to her husband's elaborate explanation in silence. She couldn't help feeling glad that he had called her up, that he had thought of her; yet she felt terribly embarrassed to have him feel it necessary to explain what he did before Mrs. Roberts. What would she tell her husband? Would they think Brian did not care for her, that he was in love with Mollie, or what would they think?

Never had Ruth been so glad to get home. "Now say what you have to say, and have it over!" Brian said when they were alone. "If you would stay at home where you belong, instead of gadding about, working so that you can do things I can't afford to let you do, we would have been together instead of you and Mrs. Roberts going by yourselves."

"It seems you can always afford to take Mollie King," Ruth was goaded into the reply. "But that isn't the point, Brian. I was not objecting to the money, but don't you think it looks strange to our friends for you to spend so much time with her?" She tried to speak calmly.

"It's no one's business." "Very well, if you are going to take that attitude there is no more to be said. I am sorry I was not at home when you called me up. I thought of calling you, in fact we spoke of calling both you and Mr. Roberts, but Clara said he hated to lose a half day for pleasure. So as long as she didn't phone him, I thought I'd better not either. But I am very sorry now that I didn't call you."

Brian made no reply, and their dinner was eaten almost in silence. Afterward he put on his hat, saying he would be back shortly.

"Don't sit up for me. I may play cards awhile with some friends," he said, standing in the open door.

Ruth looked blankly at the closed door. Her first impulse was to run after him. He never had deliberately left her sitting home alone before. O, dear! how she wished she had kept the fact that her salary had again been raised from him. He had been so impossible ever since.

"Never mind," honey, yo ol' mammy is wif' you!"

Throwing her arms around Rachel's neck, Ruth, for the first time since she had been married, gave way to the discouragement she felt. She

KNIT-A-BIT CLUB—

A meeting of the I. C. U. Knit-a-bit Club will be held Monday night with Mrs. McWilliams, 309 Grant Ave.

DINER FOR NICE—

Mr. and Mrs. William Frisby entertained last evening with 6 o'clock supper in honor of Mrs. Earl Knight, of Chicago, a niece of Mr. Frisby's. The guests were Mrs. Dora Heft, Misses Zelma and Myrtle Heft and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dial.

ENTERTAINED—

Mrs. J. P. Plummer entertained 16 guests yesterday in honor of Mrs. Wilbur Hart. Bridge was the diversion and Mrs. Willard Thompson won first prize.

VISITED IN HALDANE—

Mrs. Lewis Peter has returned from a ten days' visit in Haldane at the O. P. A. Long home. Mrs. Petre and Mrs. George Cupp motored to Haldane to accompany her home.

WITH RED CROSS—

Miss Nonie Dement, who is spending a few weeks at the Sheffield hotel Grand Detour, will leave in a week or so for New York. She expects soon to go to France where she will do Red Cross work.

TO GRANDVILLE—

Private Stanley Treudt, who has been so ill with Spanish influenza at the Lewis Institute, Chicago, was accompanied to Dixon Thursday by his wife, who was called to his bedside two weeks. He is much improved in health and expects, at the end of a ten-day furlough, to return. Mr. and Mrs. Treudt left this morning for Grandville where they will visit his people after spending the past two days with Mrs. Treudt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams.

ST. AGNES' GUILD—

Members of the St. Agnes Guild met in regular session yesterday afternoon at St. Luke's church and made plans for the Christmas bazaar. Mrs. Babin and Miss Young, the hostesses served coffee and small cakes as refreshments.

sobbed unrestrainedly for an hour, the old nurse crooning over her. Finally she dried her eyes, and Rachel went to bed. She sat by the window until after midnight, when she sent Rachel to bed. She sat by the window until after midnight, when she, too, undressed and crept into bed.

She wondered who these friends Brian had spoken of so casually could be, and why he had never mentioned them before. Perhaps he was with that Mr. Clark, of whom he had borrowed money. Once she thought: "I wonder if he is with that Mollie King!" but dismissed the idea as unreasonable. He wouldn't leave her alone to spend the evening with Mollie, even if he had taken her to the matinee. He had only done that out of pique because she wasn't at home when he called. Of course he had taken Mollie out when she was away, but that was so different. To do it when she was at home, anxious and willing to be with him, either at home or wherever he cared to go, would be too much like intentional neglect.

Finally she fell asleep, only to be awakened when Brian stumbled over a chair in the darkness.

"Do switch on the light, dear, you'll hurt yourself," she said, sitting up in bed, rubbing her eyes. "What time is it?" as he followed her advice.

"About two, I guess." "Did you have a good time?" "Yes—pretty fair."

Brian did not volunteer any information as to where he had been or who with. Ruth longed to ask, but restrained her curiosity. Brian must not be made to feel that she didn't trust him.

In this Ruth was wise. His was a nature that could brook no restraint. He had shown this in many ways. So, she, realizing it, had tried to keep herself from saying or doing anything that looked like espionage. Yet she dreadfully wanted to know where he had been.

The next morning at breakfast, rather as they finished and Brian was about to leave, he said shamefacedly:

"I was rotten to ask Mollie to go to the matinee when you were in town. But I was sore when I met her."

That was all. But all day Ruth was happy because of the half-hearted apology. She knew he meant what he had said, and more. That it was his way of saying he was sorry.

That night they spent the happiest evening they had had since Ruth told him she had been given more money because of her good work. And as she had so many times before, she said to herself:

"If only we could be like this all the time, how happy I should be!" (To Be Continued.)

"Strafe" Made Prize of War.

The British have taken "strafe." In an announcement from the Oxford University Press the fact is officially made known. The captured word has been included, not to say entered, in the latest volume. Volume IX, of the Oxford dictionary. And as a trophy of war it has been treated after a characteristically British fashion. Its flat Tenth "a" has been changed to the long English "a" as of "safe," and from two syllables it is reduced to one, so that it may rhyme with "chafe."

Nor does the process of eliminating Germany in this verbal instance stop on the mere point of pronunciation. To the compilers of the Oxford lexicon it is "v. slang." So in captivity this word of portent originally fierce loses not only in quantity but in quality. To quote the London Times, as cited by the dictionary makers, "strafe is becoming a comic English word."

York Road Set Free.

The final step in clearing old York road of its toll gate incumbrances was taken recently and six toll gates between the city line and Hathorn will hereafter cease to vex the users of this important highway. Philadelphia abolished all toll gates within her limits some years ago, but these nuisances still continue to maintain a state of siege about this city except on the Delaware river front, where the ferries perform a similar part. The ferries will remain until the Delaware is bridged, but the toll gates must go, and are going.—Philadelphia Press.

"Tell T. R. It's Mike."

From New York comes the story of a former resident of Belleville who was kept busy night and day answering telephone queries regarding the health of Theodore Roosevelt during the latter's recent illness at Roosevelt hospital.

The man had a telephone number similar to that of the hospital. The limit of his patience was reached, however, when a man called and said: "Tell the colonel that Mike Hicks called. He'll remember me. I'm the fellow that shook hands with him at the depot the day he came to Allentown."

SKEFFINGTON FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Joseph Skeffington will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the late home. The funeral will be private and friends are requested to omit flowers.

DIFFER OVER ORIGIN OF DOG

Whether All Kinds Had a Common Ancestor Has Long Been a Matter of Dispute.

The ancestry of the dog has been the occasion of much controversy, according to Leo S. Crandall's book, "Pets." Many naturalists have considered that it is descended from a single ancestor, such as the common wolf of Europe. Darwin, however, leans toward the theory of multiple origin, and advances much convincing proof in support of his belief. It is widely known that many savage tribes have dogs, which appear to be simply half-trained representatives of the particular wild doglike animals inhabiting the same regions.

The dogs of the American plains Indians closely resemble the small prairie wolf, or coyote; the husky of the north country is plainly not far removed from the gray wolf; the German sheep dog and the Samoyede are strikingly wolflike in appearance. Whether our present dogs are the result of crossing these many simple derivatives of wolves and jackals among themselves, or whether there was an original ancestral dog, now extinct, with which the blood of other species has become mingled, we have not yet been able to determine, though so many primordial animal remains have come to light.

According to St. George Mivart, the dingo is the only wild dog still existing which meets the requirements of an ancestor of our modern breeds. This species is found throughout Australia and fossil bones which have been found show its presence there from very early times.

MOLLUSKS MAKE GOOD SOUP

Thrown Up on Florida Beaches by the Waves They Are Collected and Sold to Hotels.

Along the Florida beaches a very common and familiar kind of rock is wholly composed of the shells of a small species of mollusk, oval in shape and half an inch long. It is called "coquina," and is hard on the feet if one walks over it without shoes.

In beds below the line of low tide are mollusks of the same kind, alive. Their bivalve shells are pink, blue and of other colors, quite brilliant, so that in places the beaches are beautiful to the eye, great numbers of them being thrown up by the waves along the shore.

Under such circumstances they soon die, of course, leaving their pretty shells to adorn the strand. But there are always plenty of live ones at the water's edge, and these are gathered in quantity at some of the winter resorts by boys who collect them with rakes and carry them in baskets to the hotels for sale.

They are used for soup, being pressed to a pulp in order to extract their juice. The latter, strained and heated, affords a very delicious table beverage known as "coquina broth." It is particularly recommended for invalids and persons with weak digestion.

The Sap of Spring.

When the sap of spring is bursting the fetters of winter the general human heart beats high. A few of us philosophers receive amid the rich but sober tints of autumn a happiness that we would not exchange for any other season, but we are a minority, and small. The head of one of the most important departments at Washington, who thinks about the processes of mankind, has a theory that makes a regular curve of the relation of the seasons to the appetite for war. As the buds open, every nation thinks it is on the edge of victory. This curve rises for a while, begins to decline in the summer and gets well down in the autumn. The period therefore, when statesmen, if they had decided to make peace, could do it most easily, is from the days of goldenrod and autumn browns to just before the greening of the buds. The story of coal, a tragic story to the poor, helps this curve, but there is in it much of sheer poetry. Independent of more solid things.—Norman Hapgood in Leslie's.

How Scouts Can Help Nation.

Offer your services to some gardener as a patrol. He will be able to pay you for your labor. Make his crop the best in your neighborhood. Show the world that the boy scouts can rise to any emergency.

Plant a garden at home. No matter how small the space. Forego the flower garden this season. Plant vegetables. If you have no garden, use a window box. You will be delighted with the results, no matter how small the crop. Do it now.

Offer your services to your teacher to help in securing the necessary information to establish school and home gardens. Don't be a slacker.

Ask your city officials to organize to help conserve the food supply of our country. Have them offer vacant space for cultivation. Show your patriotism. Arouse theirs.—Scout News and Bulletin.

Ship on Girl's Back Bar to Society.

A ship on a girl's back is a bar to her entrance into society, according to State Senator Alfred J. Gilchrist, of New York city. The senator declares that a Brooklyn girl is barred from society because, when ten years old, a ship was tattooed on the girl's back. She cannot wear a fashionable, low-neck dress because of the spreading sails across the ocean on her back. The senator, therefore, asks for a law imposing a fine of \$500 for any one who mars a young woman's beauty.

MOTORED TO CHICAGO—

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Overstreet and daughter, Miss Ruth, and Mrs. C. C. Kost motored to Chicago Thursday.

FORMER DIXON LADY

DIED THIS MORNING

PNEUMONIA BROUGHT ABOUT HER DEATH AFTER ILLNESS OF TEN DAYS

Mrs. Fred M. Hull died at her home, 217 North Galena avenue, at 9:50 this forenoon from pneumonia, after an illness of about ten days. The remains will be shipped Sunday to her former home in Chillicothe, Mo.

Mrs. Hull was born in Missouri, Jan. 27, 1830, and lived in Dixon about two years. She is survived by her husband and daughter, Lucille, by her father, William Lindvall, of Chillicothe, Mo., two brothers, William and Louis, and two sisters, Mrs. Harry Blass and Mrs. Elizabeth Appleberry, all of Chillicothe, Mo.

Mrs. Hull was a good, faithful wife and splendid mother and was admired and loved by all who knew her.

Mrs. Mary McIntyre Cook Victim of Uremic Poisoning Last Evening

HOME IN MENDOTA

Mrs. Mary McIntyre Cook, wife of Dr. E. D. Cook of Mendota, died in a Chicago hospital at 10 o'clock last night from uremic poisoning. Her remains were taken to Mendota today. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Mrs. Cook was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McIntyre, Highland avenue. Besides her parents she leaves a husband, three brothers and two sisters. The brothers are Patrick J. and Edward, of Dixon, and Waniel, Jr., now in France with the United States army. The sisters are Mrs. Ray Leivan, of Brookings, S. D., and Mrs. J. M. Hurd, who resides at the home of her parents, her husband being somewhere in France.

Deceased was born in Palmyra township December 8, 1832, and at the time of her death was 35 years of age. She was married to Dr. E. D. Cook of Mendota nearly a year ago.

During her girlhood days she attended St. Mary's school and the Dixon high school. Later she entered St. Joseph's hospital in Chicago, from which institution she graduated and became one of the most popular trained nurses of Dixon. She followed her profession for several years in Chicago.

Mary McIntyre's death came as a great shock to her many, many friends in Dixon. All who knew her spoke very highly of her, and she left the splendid reputation of being gentle, kind and patient with all her many patients. Her aged parents are prostrated and both have the sympathy of the community in which they live, and of hundreds of people in Dixon.

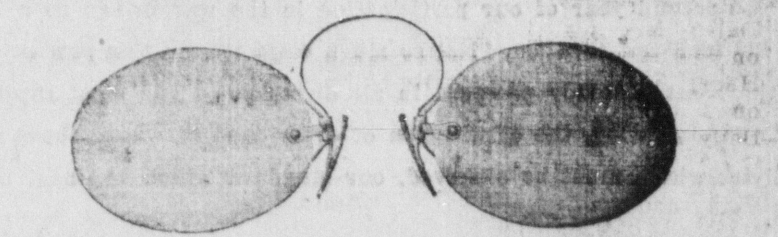
Mary McIntyre was a kind daughter to her parents, a true and loyal wife to her husband, and was a great aid to him in his profession. She will be sadly missed by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance, for he always had a smile and a kind word for old and young alike. When on duty as a nurse her presence brought cheer to her patients and comfort to those around her in the afflicted home.

For the past week Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre have had more than their share of this world's troubles. Their son, Edward, is a patient in the local hospital; their daughter, Ruth, is now very ill with grippe, and under the care of a physician; their son, Daniel, has just arrived for duty over seas, and but a day or two ago they followed to the grave the remains of their little grandson. Under all of this they are bearing up remarkably well.



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BULLETIN.

Haig Close To Douai; French Advance

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Oct. 12.—The withdrawal of the Germans across the Senne Canal is more or less completed. It is believed that Haig's men will be on the outskirts of Douai tomorrow morning.

South of Laon the Germans continue to retire from the Chemin Des Dames.

The Germans are falling back rapidly in the Champagne and the French have advanced from 3 to 4 miles this morning. So swiftly is the line changing that it is difficult to follow the French advance.

Huns Evacuate "Ladies' Road"

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, Oct. 12.—German forces west of Douai yesterday retreated to a new line, announces the general staff. South of Laon the Germans have evacuated the Chemin Des Dames.

PORTO RICO SHAKEN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
San Juan, Porto Rico, Oct. 12.—Porto Rico was shaken in the early morning by an earthquake, followed by a tidal wave, which submerged Aguadilla, a town on the northwest coast, killing 14 people and injuring 40.

A telegram was received last night by E. J. Ferguson, announcing the death of his mother at Kingsville, Ontario. Mr. Ferguson and family left this afternoon for Peoria Co., where the funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon.

Allen Seavey, of Palmyra, received a telegram at noon today telling of the serious illness of his sister, Miss Ruth Seavey, a nurse in the base hospital at Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., where she has been for several months, being ordered there by the government. It is presumed that she is suffering from the Spanish influenza.

Siam Studies Philippine Health.

The Philippine model sanitary house which has aroused so much interest not only among Filipinos but also among residents of neighboring countries, has been adopted by Siam, and contractors located at Bangkok, having secured instructions from the Philippine health service, have begun the construction of a number there. The Siamese are keenly alive to the importance of promoting public health, and inasmuch as the health problems of Siam are very similar to those of the Philippines owing to climate and products, delegations of Siamese have arrived from time to time in Manila for the purpose of studying Philippine methods, one of them last year, being headed by his Royal Highness Prince Rangsit, brother of the king of Siam.

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FOR RENT—7 room house, West First street. Inquire of 717 West First street. 23616*

AUCTION SALE—Household goods of all description on Wednesday, October 16, 1918, at 2 o'clock at 221 Monroe Ave. Mrs. T. Monahan, Geo. Fruin, Auct. 23603*

LOST—Pocketbook containing \$10 bill and some small change. Finder please return to this office. 23603*

FOR SALE—Sixty head of pure Chester White swine, 30 boars and 30 sows, October 19, at my farm at Harmon, Ill. J. D. Meekel and Son, 23613*

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PRO-GERMANISM STILL BUSY.

It is difficult to believe that pro-Germanism in this country could extend to the depths of seeking to introduce hog cholera among herds of swine. Rumors that this attempt was being made in Iowa have been prevalent for some time and have been ignored as improbable, until the other day an authentic case was brought to the attention of an Iowa newspaper, the Des Moines Capital. This case seems to establish it that at least one such attempt has been made in that state. If made there, it would appear to behoove Illinois farmers likewise to be on the alert for such attempts in this state.

According to the story in the Capital, a big northern Iowa farm has three hundred head of black hogs. When the farmer returned to his home last Thursday he found a measly little white pig in with his herd of black hogs. He immediately captured the pig, hauled it to town, and had it examined by a veterinarian, who declared that the pig had hog cholera. The farmer says it was very fortunate that those who attempted this crime used a white pig. Otherwise the discovery might not have been made so promptly.

The Capital now feels assured that the spreading of hog cholera among the hogs of Iowa has been attempted in numerous localities, and that is a pro-German movement. Such things could not have any other purpose. "If the man who placed this little white pig in the pen of black hogs is caught certain pacifist editors will be shocked at the ensuing circumstance," declares the Capital, which has the name of the farmer and has read his statement in writing.

DON'T HELP THE PLAGUE.

The pernicious "flu" is becoming a national plague. It interferes with the mobilization and training of army recruits. It hampers the efficiency of our war workers. It afflicts our civilian population. It causes many deaths, and leaves a train of weakness that encourages cold-weather ills.

There is no occasion for panic. In fact, to get panic-stricken at the thought of the approach of the epidemic is the worst thing any one can do.

To defy it is just about as bad. It is most emphatically an occasion for calmness and common sense.

All the experts agree that the thing to do is, first, to use ordinary horse sense in taking care of yourself; and second, if the "flu" strikes you, to go to bed at once and call a doctor. That's all there is to it. The doctor will pull you through, quickly and rather easily, without leaving any bad effects, if you only give him a fair chance.

LET'S LEARN A LESSON.

Those who are rejoicing that the turn of events in Europe dispels the danger of another civilization being blotted out by barbarians, as has happened in centuries gone, should remember that it was only by a narrow margin that the barbarian failed in 1914 and 1916, and that civilization must be prepared or it can not hope always to rise above its enemies. Eternal vigilance is the price not only of liberty but of the continued life of civilization.

If the right sort of a league of nations materializes, beginning with "a clean slate," it may prove to be civilization's safeguard from such mad dogs as the German kaiser. But a civilization safeguarded as to national and international life from such mad dogs will yet have to make sure that it is not to crumble under the enervating pressure of ease and luxury. The individual will need preparedness, training, quite as much as will the nation.

"120,000,000 ALLIES MUST EAT."

Industry is falling into two classes—essentials and less essentials. And by essentials we mean essential to the prosecution of the war.

In food there are also the vitally essential foods and the less essential. Staples—meat, wheat, sugar and fats—are essential. Fresh vegetables, perishables of many kinds, bulky, unshippable foods, are—in a military sense—the less essential.

The second year of our participation in the war brings us a broader plan for food conservation. Not so much emphasis on this particular item and that, but a steady pressure in all directions. The most careful and thrifty conservation, the elimination of every type of waste, these are our principles which must be observed, our standard which we must measure up to.

We cannot ship seventeen million tons of food out of the country and not continue to conserve food. We cannot increase our last year's food exports to the Allies by fifty per cent and not continue to cut down our own consumption.

The need is very great, our obligation plain. To supply the essential foods to the 120 million people in Europe now arraigned against Germany is our present task. "This is a duty of necessity, humanity and honor."

We will fulfill it.

HELP HIM CARRY ON—BUY MORE BONDS



SACRIFICE TO BUY BONDS

Financing Fighters by Stinting Yourself Makes Heroes of the Home Folks.

Heroes are a comparative rarity at the front. There are so many of them that they escape the notice properly given to the prodigy. Conversely, there are few cowards. The soldiers are charitable. They understand well enough that any man may be so far below par for a second that his legs will not obey his will. Weakness due to the strain of brave resistance is one of the terrible chances of fighting. Hence the bravest man generally says the very least about those who are accused of cowardice.

The financing and support of a great war produces just as many heroes as the charge on the fighting line, and they are more often overlooked. Unfortunately, too, the civilian part of the war produces cowardice—cowardice of such a mean kind that it cannot be forgiven. Such cowardice, for example, as refusing to cut down sugar-eating, gasoline consumption, etc., for the good of the service. It is a form of cowardice because it implies fear of self-denial—dread of sacrifice.

"I will not make an easy sacrifice," said Captain Cochran. "God, country, family—that is the order of my sacrifice!" And he died at Verdun, with a plastron of decorations.

A little of that spirit will readily overcome the cowardice of those who run away from their plain duty of buying Liberty Bonds. Imagine Captain Cochran in your place. Would he not say "Buying one bond is too easy a sacrifice. I will undergo privation—yes, physical privation! Set me down for five or ten bonds!"

"PUSHING ON"

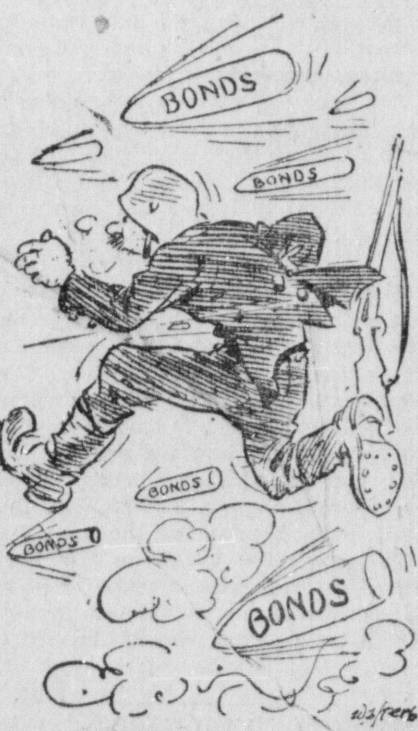
Lieut. John Philip Sousa has composed a fourth Liberty loan song. The words were written by Guy F. Lee, a Chicago newspaper man. The title is "Pushing On." The words of the last verse and the chorus are:

They scrap with pep and ginger, our men and their allies.
On land, in air,
And everywhere,
They've got the Boche's size.
Up to us to back 'em, until the war is won,
So lend as they fight every day, while Pershing's pushing on.

Chorus—
For Pershing's pushing, Pershing's pushing on.
For Pershing's pushing, Pershing's pushing on.
The Hun is on the run.
Dig up, we need the "mon."
Shell out, shell out, the Yanks are pushing on.

Every Bond you tuck away
Boosts a bit your yearly pay.

KEEP HIM ON THE RUN



Harry Fordham, Jr., is very ill with the Spanish influenza.

Miss Helen Blackburn of Washington, D. C., is quite ill.

BUYING BONDS IS THRIFT

Famous French Statesman Says Thrift Is Virtue of the People.

Deputy Justin Godart, in a recent speech on "The American Crusade," said: "Thrift, that virtue so characteristically French, so domestic, so modest, so sterling—thrift is the virtue which, during the terrible trials of the war, has not failed to yield us, according to our ever-increasing necessities, unsuspected means and resources."

We must place it in the first rank of our elements of resistance. It has been the part of the lowly in the economic outlay. Thrift! It is the virtue of the people, just as the Polu is the people's soldier, and like the Polu it enabled France to withstand the assaults of the barbarians."

Out of the hardships of the war America is recovering the ancestral virtue of thrift. That alone will abundantly repay us as a people for all the sacrifices we are compelled to undergo.

At the actual minute there is no duty for Americans that can compare with the buying of Fourth Liberty bonds. Thrift is good for the country; but first we must make sure that we have a country. We must beat the German feudalism. Never mind what you did on the early loans. That money is spent—for war preparation. The Fourth Loan is for Fighting.

WHAT THE WAR IS COSTING

Total Outlay for Two Years Ending June 30, 1919, Is Estimated at \$36,695,702,470.

A recent article in The Outlook takes the position that "recoverable or productive assets" amounting to \$10,000,000,000 for the benefit of the American people stand against war loans at present authorized, amounting to \$24,000,000,000. It is estimated that the total outlay for the two years ending June 30, 1919, will be \$36,695,702,470.

The "recoverable assets" include \$10,000,000,000 authorized for loans to the allies; \$2,750,000,000 for ships and shipyards; \$1,000,000,000 for railways in France; army warehouses, \$228,000,000; domestic railways, financial and grain purposes, \$1,050,000,000; and various permanent investments, \$972,000,000.

These conclusions, reached by Mr. J. H. Price, are sustained by the reasoning of Sir George Paish and many other European economists. It is commonly assumed that the "gross cost of war," including all economic losses, loss of trade, destruction of property, dissipation of materials, excess consumption of commodities and the incidental waste of "utility," may be discounted about half to arrive at the "true net cost." On this basis the London Statist estimates that the real economic loss to all the belligerent nations will not exceed \$167,000,000,000 to the end of 1917. Since then, of course, there has been a tremendous destruction which it is impossible at the moment to approximate.

Godmother to a Liberty Bond.

"My Renault tank, No. 66,444 has gone through the enemy lines three times, has dug deep holes in the German infantry waves and destroyed many machine guns. My tank is still going and we hope for more victories. But our machine is not yet baptized. It needs a name. Who wants to be godmother?"

This letter was written by the commander of artillery section 316 on the Marne front during the recent victory. Here's your chance. But there is a better chance nearer home:

Be godmother to all the fourth Liberty bonds you can buy.

The Liberty Bond you buy is a "meal ticket" for a Fighting Yank.

Buy a Bond at "Reveille"—Luck will follow you all day.

Dennis Murphy, of Williams, Ia., returned this morning to Iowa after a visit with his brother, Michael Murphy, who is ill at the Dixon hospital.

CITY IN BRIEF

George and Jacob Thier, of Sublette, were Friday business callers.

John Cahill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cahill, is quite ill.

The Misses Metzler and Harkins, both nurses at the Dixon hospital, are ill.

Wm. Chiverton, who has been ill, is recovering.

Dr. Stanley, the foot specialist, is at the Dewey hotel. Call telephone 185 if you desire the services of an expert. 233-1f

E. C. Kennedy spent Friday afternoon on a business trip to Sublette.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrington motored to Sterling Thursday.

Mrs. James Mocklin is suffering from a severe attack of the Spanish influenza.

Mrs. Lee Hill, of the Bend, is quite ill, requiring the services of a trained nurse.

Lewis Heckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Heckman, of Route 4, is very ill with the grip.

Elmer Ringler and son Harold, of Eldena, are ill.

Miss Bernice Mayborn, of Polo, is making a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Briscoe.

The French Tricolor.

The Tricolor, the French national standard of blue, white and red, divided vertically, originated during the first French revolution. In 1789 the leaf plucked by Camille Desmoulins in the garden of the Palais Royal became a rallying sign, and green was to be adopted as the national color; but, remembering that green was the color of the hated Prince d'Artois, they rejected it on the following day. They at first chose, instead, blue and red, the colors of the city of Paris, and later added the white of royalty, that had been faithfully preserved by the national guard. This new standard was adopted with enthusiasm. A few months after taking of the Bastille, Bailly and Lafayette offered to Louis XVI the three-colored cocard as a badge of reconciliation with the king.

Thus the Tricolor originated as the symbol of the liberty of the French nation, and it continued as such even when afterward the "reconciliation" with the king ended with his decapitation.

Peculiarities of Electric Ray.

The electric ray is a species of fish found on the Pacific coast. It is known from central California southward to Santa Barbara channel and is very common in Monterey bay. This fish is provided with an electric organ composed of hexagonal cells, reaching from the skin of the upper surface to that of the lower, and situated at each side of the head and gill chambers. The electricity discharged from this ray has the properties of other electricity, such as rendering an iron bar magnetic, decomposing chemicals and producing a spark, says the American Angler. Stories vary as to the volume of the discharge, but even a small ray is capable of inflicting considerable pain. After a few discharges the fish becomes exhausted and must rest before its electric organs are again functional.

Channel Tunnel Is Missed.

How great have been the demands upon the British merchant marine for the reservation of ships for purely military purposes is shown by the statistics of the first two and a quarter years of war. During that time 8,000,000 men were transported across the seas and over a million sick and wounded. Of supplies and explosives 9,420,000 tons were carried, besides 1,000,000 horses and mules, and 47,500,000 gallons of petrol. If the channel tunnel had been built in the days before the war, a vast amount of merchant tonnage, now employed on transport service, would have been available for the world's commercial service.—Scientific American.

ABE MARTIN



Miss Tawney Apple has been arrested for cleaning her white gloves on Sunday. Tell Binkley made a rousin' speech last night and referred to Ex-President Tilden.

Miss Mehaffie, trimmer at the Mrs. R. R. Hess millinery shop, will go to Chicago tomorrow to visit with friends and will remain until Monday evening, spending Monday in inspecting new styles in millinery.



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U. S. Public Health Service Issues
Official Health Bulletin
on Influenza.

LATEST WORD ON SUBJECT.

Epidemic Probably Not Spanish in Origin—Germ Still Unknown—People Should Guard Against "Droplet Infection"—Surgeon General Blue Makes Authoritative Statement.

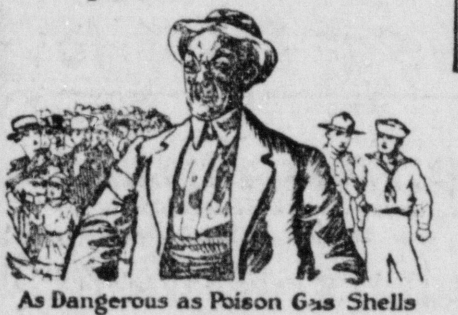
Washington, D. C.—(Special).—Although King Alfonso of Spain was one of the victims of the influenza epidemic in 1893 and again this summer, Spanish authorities repudiate any claim to influenza as a "Spanish" disease. If the people of this country do not take care the epidemic will become so widespread throughout the United States that soon we shall hear the disease called "American" influenza.

In response to a request for definite information concerning Spanish influenza, Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the U. S. Public Health Service has authorized the following official interview:

What is Spanish influenza? Is it something new? Does it come from Spain?

"The disease now occurring in this country and called 'Spanish influenza' resembles a very contagious kind of 'cold,' accompanied by fever, pains

Coughs and Sneezes Spread Diseases



In the head, eyes, ears, back or other parts of the body and a feeling of severe sickness. In most of the cases the symptoms disappear after three or four days, the patient then rapidly recovering. Some of the patients, however, develop pneumonia, or inflammation of the ear, or meningitis, and many of these complicated cases die. Whether this so-called 'Spanish' influenza is identical with the epidemics of influenza of earlier years is not yet known.

"Epidemics of influenza have visited this country since 1647. It is interesting to know that this first epidemic was brought here from Valencia, Spain. Since that time there have been numerous epidemics of the disease. In 1889 and 1890 an epidemic of influenza, starting somewhere in the Orient, spread first to Russia and thence over practically the entire civilized world. Three years later there was another flare-up of the disease. Both times the epidemic spread widely over the United States.

"Although the present epidemic is called 'Spanish influenza,' there is no reason to believe that it originated in Spain. Some writers who have studied the question believe that the epidemic came from the Orient and they call attention to the fact that the Germans mention the disease as occurring along the eastern front in the summer and fall of 1917."

How can "Spanish influenza" be recognized?

"There is as yet no certain way in which a single case of 'Spanish influenza' can be recognized. On the other hand, recognition is easy where there is a group of cases. In contrast to the outbreaks of ordinary coughs and colds, which usually occur in the cold months, epidemics of influenza may occur at any season of the year. Thus the present epidemic raged most intensely in Europe in May, June and July. Moreover, in the case of ordinary colds, the general symptoms (fever, pain, depression) are by no means as severe or as sudden in their onset as they are in influenza. Finally, ordinary colds do not spread through the community so rapidly or so extensively as does influenza.

"In most cases a person taken sick with influenza feels sick rather suddenly. He feels weak, has pains in the eyes, ears, head or back, and may be sore all over. Many patients feel dizzy, some vomit. Most of the patients complain of feeling chilly, and with this comes a fever in which the temperature rises to 100 to 104. In most cases the pulse remains relatively slow.

"In appearance one is struck by the fact that the patient looks sick. His eyes and the inner side of his eyelids may be slightly 'bloodshot,' or 'congested,' as the doctors say. There may be running from the nose, or there may be some cough. These signs of a cold may not be marked; nevertheless the patient looks and feels very sick.

"In addition to the appearance and the symptoms as already described, examination of the patient's blood may aid the physician in recognizing 'Spanish influenza,' for it has been found

REPORT TURKS AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIANS DECIDE FOR PEACE

Have Informed Germany
They Intend to Accept
Wilson's Terms

DUAL MONARCHY FALL

London, Oct. 11.—Austria-Hungary and Turkey have informed Germany that they will accept President Wilson's peace terms, according to a dispatch to the Central News from Amsterdam.

Turkey has made a definite peace proposal to President Wilson, according to other reports in circulation here.

Hungarian Premier Quits.
Budapest, via Basel, Oct. 11.—Dr. Alexander Wekerle, the Hungarian prime minister, announced his resignation after an audience with King Charles. Vienna newspapers received here say that a ministerial crisis in Hungary is imminent and that a coalition cabinet is probable.

Says Dual Monarchy Collapses.
Amsterdam, Thursday, Oct. 10.—Count Apponyi, the opposition leader in the Hungarian parliament, has approved of the peace proposals of the central empires, according to a Frankfort dispatch to the Nieuwe Courant of Rotterdam.

"It is not we who bring about the fall of the dual monarchy," he is quoted as saying. "It has collapsed of itself."

Turkey Strong For Peace.

Writing from Constantinople upon the appointment of Tewfik Pasha as grand vizier, and Izzet Pasha as war minister of Turkey, the Berlin correspondent of the Rhenish Westphalian Gazette says that the new Turkish cabinet proclaims the general desire of peace on the part of the people of that country. Commenting on the situation at Constantinople, the newspaper says:

"Enver Pasha and Talaat Pasha undoubtedly were the pillars of the Turco-German alliance. We certainly do not stray far from the truth when we assume that impending events in Turkey, will result in a change of policy."

Soldiers Rule Constantinople?

Paris, Oct. 11.—A rumor was circulated on the Paris bureau this afternoon that Constantinople had been declared under martial law. Ottoman values jumped three and four points. Turkish securities were in great demand and there was much trading in them.

SHOEMAKERS ARE IN BOWLING GAME

Members of the shoe factory bowling league met at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening. They have five teams and two of these teams will bowl every Thursday evening. They also have a representative team from the whole factory which will compete with any team in the city, which plays at the Y. M. C. A.

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FELT THAT HE NEEDED "PEP" Little Fellow Simply Had to Spend a Nickel of the Dime in His Possession.

Frank Groninger, attorney, has a pink-cheeked, tow-headed youngster, whose name to every one who knows him, is synonymous with effervescence, overflowing spirits. He is a thinker, too, this small Jack.

It was he, who some years ago (he has now attained the mature age of eight years), after gravely meditating on the phenomenon that ensued when things were planted in the ground—i. e., that duplicates of the thing planted accordingly took root and grew up out of the ground—was discovered in the yard by his mother, carefully patting and slapping down a pile of wet mud with his small spade.

"What are you doing Jack? planting something?" Jack's evident reluctance to disclose the nature of his agricultural activities aroused his mother's suspicion. Grasping one of the miniature garden tools at Jack's feet she dug vigorously into the wet mud. A glint caught her eye, and in horrified silence she scraped the mud from her jeweled gold watch.

But, if Jack didn't succeed in growing nice little timepieces, that a small boy could hear tick undisturbedly, he has kept right on being active. Hence, his mother's surprise the other day at a reply of his.

Jack's father, before leaving for his office, gave Jack a dime. Afterward Jack's mother seeing the coin in his hand, admonished him to put the dime away and save it.

"O mother," Jack exclaimed indignantly, "I simply got to spend a nickel of it to give me some 'pep.'"

FAMOUS FOREST QUITE GONE

Absolutely Nothing Left of the Once
Beautiful Woods That Were the
Pride of Verdun.

Lovers used to stroll arm in arm through the well-ordered forests of Verdun. To stroll arm in arm where these forests once stood is no longer possible. Gouverneur Morris writes in Collier's. You must go alone. If there has been rain you should have nails in your boots. The smooth convolutions of the hills have been tortured and turned into ridges and hollows like the Atlantic ocean during the equinoctial gales.

I doubt if there is to be found one single square yard of the original forest floor. I doubt if there is to be found one single perfect example of a shell crater. One crater breaks into the next, and there, merged into one shocking hollow, are a dozen which at the first moment of looking appeared to have been but one.

It has been well but truly "worked." That forest floor; but not for 100 years can it ever again be worked by man in any peaceful and profitable pursuit. Rich soil (doubly rich now), it will be shunned by the farmer with his plow; a prospect very rich in copper and iron, the prospector will shun it, for here, buried and half-buried, the shells, great and little, which did not explode at all, are as thick as temptation in the life of every man.

British Rural Life Changes.

With women taking the place of men workers, conditions in many parts of the country are undergoing a remarkable change. This is most noticeable in parts where woman land workers are making their homes.

The Woman's Institute is largely responsible for the movement, which is gradually revolutionizing village life, making it more attractive and stimulating a sense of citizenship. In conjunction with the food production department, a parliamentary meeting is called which elects a democratic committee representing farmers' wives, cottagers and landed women, who thereafter manage affairs, arranging for monthly social gatherings where useful lectures are given, exhibitions of housecraft or gardening skill held, and old, treasured recipes and household hints exchanged.

Several hundred villagers already have their committees and the food department is inundated with demands for organizers and lecturers.

Surgical Dressing Work.

Some skeptical people, who usually aren't doing anything themselves, think that the production of surgical dressings by patriotic women is being overdone. If they could see conditions in some of the French villages, where not a single able-bodied man remains, they would not feel so.

In these colossal battles, where hundreds of thousands of men are engaged, all previous wars and needs are outclassed. A great many men are wounded in these battles. With prompt care and abundant material handy, the vast majority of the wounded are saved.

Vast storehouses should be filled in France at all times for this need. A Red Cross doctor who recently returned from France reports a case of a soldier so badly wounded that it took a whole case of dressings to save him. Under the strain of such demands, a great mountain of supplies will quickly melt away.—Virginia Enterprise.

New Disease.

A disease new to science and provisionally called "X" has broken out in the west and northwest of New South Wales and has already caused a number of deaths. The symptoms somewhat resemble those of cerebrospinal meningitis, but it differs pathologically from that disease and in some respects is somewhat akin to pneumonia.—Scientific American.

SCHOOL CLOSED.

The Eldena school has been closed because of much illness in that vicinity.

FARMERS INSTITUTE IN AMBOY NEXT WEEK

Fine Program Has Been Arranged for Session During Three Days

PROMINENT SPEAKERS

An excellent program is announced for the annual meeting of the Lee County Farmers' Institute, which will be held at Amboy next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The program is as follows:

Opera House, Tuesday, Oct. 15.

10:00—War Time Live Stock Production.—A. N. Abbot, Morrison.

1:30—Invocation—Rev. Kempster. Solo—Miss Lucile Entorf. Economical Live Stock Production.—A. N. Abbot. Feed and Care of the Dairy Herd—Chas. Foss, Cedarville.

7:30—Community Singing—Conducted by Misses Josie Kehoe and Ruth Ayres. Reading—Miss Anna Miller. Real Dads and Mothers—Mrs. Katherine Hawthorne Welch, Victoria.

Opera House Wednesday.

10:00—Practical Orchard Management.—J. L. Hartwell, Dixon. Questions and Answers on Agricultural Subjects—Conducted by L. S. Griffith, Lee County.

1:30—Invocation—Rev. Joseph Burrows.

Solo—Miss Josie Kehoe. The Principal Insect Injurious to Corn—W. P. Flint, State Entomologist's Office. 3:30—Solo—By Donald Vaughan. General Lecture—Edward Ellis Carr, State Council of Defense.

Reading—Rev. Joseph Burrows. Your Home and Mine—Mrs. Katherine Hawthorne Welch.

Opera House, Thursday.

10:00—Profitable Poultry (introducing demonstration work in culling the flock to be given Oct. 18 and 19 in different parts of Lee county)—Mr. Platt, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

1:30—Invocation—Rev. M. J. Hafemann.

Plano Solo—Miss Delyle Scott. Soils and Crops—J. C. Mies, Fairburg.

7:30—Solo—Miss Kathryn Aschenbrenner.

Community Singing—Conducted by Miss Josie Kehoe. Citizenship—Miss Lou M. Harris, Rock Island.

Department of Household Science.

Basement Congregational Church. Tuesday, Oct. 15.


2:00—Invocation—Rev. Kempster. Solo—Mrs. Carl Ackert.

Demonstration, Meat Substitutes—Sugar Saving Desserts—Mrs. Katherine Hawthorne Welch.

Wednesday, Oct. 16

2:00—Invocation—Rev. Joseph Burrows.

Solo—Miss Ruth Leech. Demonstration. Sugarless Desserts and Wheat Substitutes.



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Casualties Of A. E. F. Have Reached The Total Of 44,761

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Total Casualties to Date.
Total casualties of the American Expeditionary Forces to date, are:
Killed in action (including 291 lost at sea) 8,863
Died of wounds 3,040
Died of disease 2,294
Died of accident and other causes 1,034
Wounded in action 24,218
Missing in action, including prisoners 5,402
Total 44,851

Washington, Oct. 12.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American

Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action, 96; missing in action, 18; wounded severely, 124; died of disease, 53; died of accident and other causes, 6; died from wounds, 32. TOTAL, 329. The names of eighteen Illinois boys are reported. Section one of today's casualty report, issued this morning is: Killed in action, 56; missing in action, 10; wounded severely, 143; died of wounds, 69; died from airplane accident, 3; died from accident and other causes, 8; died of disease, 54. TOTAL, 343. Nineteen soldiers from Illinois, including Pvt. Grant E. Metcalf of Sterling and Pvt. Herman Fleckbohm of Galena, both killed in action, are mentioned.

tutes—Mrs. Katherine Hawthorne Welch.
Thursday, Oct. 17.
Parlors Amboy Commercial Club.
2:00—Invocation—Rev. M. J. Hafemann.
Reading—Miss Edna Green. Moral Training of the Young—Miss Lou M. Harris.

HEALTH IS BETTER.
Miss Floy Sweet, who is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lyman Booth, is improving.

HEALTH IMPROVING.
Mrs. Grace Hinds, of West Third street, who has been quite ill since Tuesday, is slowly improving.

FLU INTERFERES WITH STREET CARS

Nearly one-fourth of the motor-men and conductors employed by the Rockford & Interurban Railway company are ill from influenza. As a result, a number of street cars have been taken off the city lines as it is impossible to find men to operate them.

NOT IMPROVING.
Wm. Haley, who met with an injury to his eye while working at the shoe factory, does not improve as rapidly as his friends would wish.

PIG CLUB ROUND-UP AND SALE AT BAUS SALE BARN, DIXON, ILL. TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1918

Under the Management of the Lee County Breeders' Association

Judging of pigs takes place at 10 o'clock, sale begins at 1:00 o'clock sharp. 50 pigs consisting of 25 Durocs, 14 Poland Chinas and 11 Chester Whites raised by the members of the Boys' and Girls' Pig Club of Lee County. All pure bred and eligible to registration. The choice of some of the best herds of Lee county.

DUROC JERSEYS		
Sired by—	Bred by—	
5 by Advance 250351.....	Colts. Improver 126507.....	E. M. Detweiler.
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2 by Oregon Select 182517.....	Colts. Improver 126507.....	C. A. Blocher
1 by Big Disturber 236827.....	Disturber K. 148735.....	L. L. Group
2 by Grand Model 1 am 226111.....	Grand Model 161639.....	L. L. Group
3 by Orion Investor, Jr. 234463.....	Orion Cherry King Jr. 2nd 214613.....	Adam Salzman
2 by King Col. Wonder 244213.....	King Col. 136163.....	J. F. Schonholtz
2 by Long Fancy 19775.....	Fancy Victor 159739.....	J. F. Schonholtz
2 by King Orion Jr. 231789.....	Orion King E 72419A.....	Swegle & Schonholtz
3 by J. C.'s Orion King 259351.....	Vans Orion Cherry King 207355.....	J. H. Carney
1 by Loos Defender 138327.....	A's Defender 104916.....	Peter Streit
1 by Col. King 191243.....	L. E. Valley King 59359.....	Peter Streit
2 by Sunlight Chief 2nd 80373.....	Eminent Chief 71013.....	McLaughlin Bros.
2 by Big Dick 252091.....	P. B. Model 212517.....	F. H. Gurney

POLAND CHINAS		
Sired by—	Bred by—	
1 by High Model 249623.....	Geo. D. Brown.....	Geo. D. Brown
4 by Young Jones 244533.....	Big Jones Again 19153.....	Hill Den Farm Co.
1 by Big Orange 288231.....	D. T. Fitzpatrick.....	D. T. Fitzpatrick
1 by Jessie's Big Orange 293037.....	D. T. Fitzpatrick.....	D. T. Fitzpatrick
1 by Superba 3d 286441.....	M. H. Hopwood.....	M. H. Hopwood
2 by Choice Chief 261117.....	M. H. Hopwood.....	M. H. Hopwood

CHESTER WHITES		
Sired by—	Bred by—	
3 by Chief Joe 34217.....	Jo Jo 23077.....	Frank Buchman
1 by Sunny Jim 50919.....	Nagles Kind 17063.....	Frank Buchman
1 by Prince Lee 45833.....	Prince Again 30497.....	Frank Buchman
1 by Royal Gad 46629.....	Moonshine 46627.....	Albert Barth
2 by Prince Harrison 44688.....	Prince Elect 34835.....	Albert Barth
3 by Announceur 45523.....	Wm. A. 26161.....	I. W. & C. V. Herrmann

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FIGURES SHOW WHAT YOUR DOLLARS WILL DO

What a Liberty Bond Will Buy for My Boy "Over There."

Suppose you have a son with the American expeditionary forces, and suppose you are a steady buyer of Liberty Loan bonds. Did you ever ask yourself what "Your boy" gets out of it, when you lay down a new \$100 bill and say: "I want another hundred-dollar Liberty Bond?" Here are some facts and figures officially made up by the war department:

Your one hundred dollar Liberty Bond will buy your boy one outfit of clothing and sleeping gear, amounting to \$91.63. The change is \$8.37 and that is just enough to give him his "cents" for 1914 days.

This war is now in its fifth year—has been running on about 1,500 days. The nineteen and a half days' board left for the boy out of your hundred-dollar Liberty Bond wouldn't amount to much if the fighting should go on a few years more! That \$91.63 outfit would be pretty well used up at the end of a few months of campaigning.

Your hundred dollar war bond shows the best possible disposition on your part, but unless you buy more than one, somebody else has to put up money to keep your boy's hungry stomach lined with bacon and fighting food.

That illustrates in a simple way the urgent necessity for liberality in buying Fourth Liberty Bonds. What you gave the government on the first, second and third loans has been used up long ago. Your boy is "over there" risking his life and all that he has every minute of the day. Surely it is "up to you" to do absolutely all you can to keep that boy fed and clothed and cared for.

But one point was overlooked in figuring the proceeds of the hundred dollar war bond. It bought the boy an outfit of clothes and 19 days' board, but it didn't buy him a gun nor a trench knife—not even a revolver, or a hand grenade. Worse than all that, the hundred dollars didn't cover knife, fork or spoon; nor did it give the boy a pick and shovel for trenching when the Boche fire gets too hot. Somebody else had to buy another bond to supply those things and give your boy the ammunition he needs for offense and defense.

Look at a few more figures:

When your boy goes over the top there must be a nice barrage laid down to protect him. Each 75-millimeter shell that is fired costs \$13. Each 6-inch shell costs \$20. The 12-inch high explosive shell loaded costs about \$270. The 16-inch shell loaded with TNT costs about \$1,000, and the smokeless powder to fire it costs \$325 more. The gun it is fired from sets the government back \$175,000. That is not all; the wear and tear on big caliber guns is terrible, so that the life of the tube is very brief.

All these things point clearly to the mistake people make when they say: "Oh, I have bought several war bonds. I think I have done my share."

That is miles from the truth. You have not done your share as long as there is a dollar of your capital or income that you don't absolutely have to have to keep life in your body. All the rest ought to be spent for Fourth Liberty Bonds.

PLEA BY GOLD STAR MOTHER

Tells Chicago Women Why Everyone Should Buy Bonds to Back Boys.

By MRS. JAMES C. ELY of Chicago Gold Star Mother.

It would be hard for me to express more earnestly an appeal for the fourth Liberty loan than the message sent to us from our son shortly before his death when he said: "It is an investment—not a loss—when a man dies for his country."

Our boys are dying for their country—can there be too great an investment for those of us who have only money to give?

WHAT YOUR LIBERTY BOND BUYS

What is to be done with all the money that is being asked for on the Fighting Fourth Liberty Loan? For battleships, submarines, and a thousand other things to be used by our boys on the land, on the sea, in the air and under the sea. To complete a single battleship now under construction requires \$23,075,000, and a battle cruiser takes \$24,900,000. A scout cruiser takes \$7,220,000, and a destroyer \$1,590,000. A coast submarine costs \$850,000 and a seagoing submarine \$1,430,000.

For artillery, automatic rifles, and small arms, and for ammunition for them, we have spent \$3,700,000,000. Every Liberty Loan subscriber helps to arm our soldiers.

More than 120,000,000 has been spent just for staple supplies for our army, such as flour, bacon, rice, etc. Every subscriber to the Liberty Loan helps feed our soldiers.

Buy, the day the sale begins; Early buyers score the "wins," Decide Today: "Germany" or "U. S. A." Buy your Bonds First thing Today.

Buy Bonds today—The thing's to do; Go the Limit—Have it through!

Every Bond you buy Today Cheers a Yank upon his way.

JUDGE WENT HOME.

Judge James S. Baume went to his home at Galena this morning, returning Monday to take up several important matters in circuit court.



The art of wing shooting was taught at an early date when feathered game abounded in this country in such unlimited numbers that a bag limit was an unheard-of possibility, and a closed season was a monumental joke.

Sportsmen during that period did not contemplate the ultimate disappearance of those feathered aces of the air, neither was the marked decrease due to excessive bags killed by the hunters. The march and encroachment of civilization, the cultivation and reclaiming of swampy and pasture lands, the cutting off of the timber and replacing of rail and hedge fences by the land-conserving barbed wire, eliminating in a great measure the nesting, breeding, and resting sanctuaries, has been the real cause of game disappearance.

In some instances the use of modern fire arms and ammunition has been cited as one of the reasons. Protective legislation, the enactment of stringent state and county laws governing the season and bag limit, are keeping pace with improvement in fire arms. It makes no difference what weapon is utilized in killing the bag limits if the laws are respected as regards excesses. It is positively the man behind the gun who is responsible for the killing of game, as a field novice is never destructive of wild life.

Change in environments has been the means of forcing all species of wild life into restricted localities which for the most part have been pre-empted by purchase, lease and conversion into game preserves and sanctuaries, where shooting clubs are permitted to hunt under restrictions.

The establishing of clubs has materially assisted in the preservation and propagation of game. Natural lakes and swamps have been perpetuated; on many preserves artificial game resorts have been created. Has this property remained in the possession of individuals, the enormous increase in land values would have certainly induced drainage and reclaiming, thus driving all game to State and National preserves or large bodies of water. The major portion of the shooting clubs are law-respecting sportsmen, who religiously conform with all laws, while their limited membership is a guarantee against the killing of excessive quantities of game at any time.

The Duck Island Club on the Illinois River, under the guiding hand of Uncle Dan Voorhees, the "Tal Sycamore of the Illinois," are most punctilious in their observance of rules and regulations. During the closed season, as designated by the Federal Law, the preserve becomes a game sanctuary, under the supervision of the Care Taker, whose duty it is to feed, guard, propagate and protect. This is the policy of most clubs who assist materially in the conserving of wild life against the encroachments of civilization.

The gradual disappearance of game has forced the would-be wing shot into other channels for experience and practice. The inanimate target upon which there is no closed season or bag limit, manufactured from pitch, clay, and whiting, moulded into the form of a four-inch saucer, to be thrown from a trap a distance of approximately 50 yards at a diversity of angles, in flight very much resembles a bird upon the wing. This flying object is to be crushed or broken in mid-air, with a restricted load of 1-14 ounces of No. 7-1-2 shot, three grains of powder, from a twelve gauge gun. This "piece de resistance" when shattered by an aspirant for wing shooting honors gives all the sensations and thrills experienced afield, when in pursuit of those feathered beauties; the only absent pleasure is the culinary finale.

Trapshooting has been endorsed by Uncle Sam and instructors placed in cantonments and ground schools. This great patriotic pastime is certainly destined to become the major sport in America.

As a conservation of the all-essential element in the winning of the world's war—TIME—every man within the limits of the draft age, 18-45, should immediately apply to shoot. This admonition also applies to the Home Defense Guard or prospective members. Every boy of

STEWART.

George Sherlock has been quite sick the past week, but is some better at this writing, but very weak.

Mr. Guilphillips of the Naval Training station, is visiting here at the home of his sister Mrs. Clifton. His wife spent Sunday here with him.

Jesse Titus called on his mother and sister on Monday.

Mrs. Ed Titus was here Friday calling on old friends.

Dr. Durin has been here the last week looking after his farms and business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barons returned Thursday evening from an extended trip to Paxton. Her father and a sister returned with them. They are residing in the Van Patten house at present.

Mr. Clifton moved on Friday to the house formerly occupied by the Baren family. Enoch Olson will move back here this week from Aurora into his property vacated by the Cliftons.

Ira Cooper had two head of cattle

requisite age to become a Boy Scout should learn to handle a gun and shoot. Every woman should be able to protect her home and person.

Americans should become an army of expert shots. Preparedness insures permanent and perpetual peace.

FISHING

Help! Help! Rescue or I perish. How quickly we would respond to a call of this character and rush to the assistance of suffering humanity should the above appeal reach our ears. Take a stroll in the open, follow the rivers, visit the bayous, locate the inland lakes, where the water's shallow and gradually evaporating in the near future—the fins and tails of fish will be exposed; a little later the water will be entirely gone. You will hear the dog fish bark out their misery and the cat fish meow for assistance. Intelligence or intuition advises them in advance of the evaporation or solid freezing of these lakes, both conditions mean death to the fish.

Rescue work is the only effective answer to their plea. This must be done by the devotees of the rod or the net fishermen whose financial interests are served. Now is the accepted time and the work should be done at once. Game Warden and deputies of the different states should be actively engaged in this work, directing and assisting at all times the rescue parties, while they are conserving food supply by rescuing fish from the shallow lakes or ponds. Liberal appropriations should be made by the legislatures of every state to be utilized in this work, under the direction of the Commissions or Warden.

Do fish suffer when hooked? It is claimed by many recognized authorities that the cartilaginous tissue surrounding the mouth of fish is devoid of nerves, hence non-susceptible to pain. Admitted, to close the argument, that the claim has been proven. This is not evidence that fish do not suffer as the water slowly evaporates, leaving them imbedded in the mud or incrusting in the solid ice to die a lingering death. Rescue! Immediately seine the shallow lakes, transplant the fish into living water. Let your seine mesh be small, fingerlings and fry now saved mean creditable reel decorations in the near future. Fish you rescue are acclimated and accustomed to individual rustling, their chances to mature are even better than these hand raised or hatchery propagated.

Cooperate with your state warden or deputies, or better—devote individual time and efforts to seining and saving the game fish for prospective food consumption. "Rescue the perishing; care for the dying."

ANSWERS TO NIMRODS.

Question: What in your judgment is the best 12 gauge load for duck shooting?

Moline, Ill. Jake Gustavson.

Answer: For all round shooting both decoy and pass, use 3-1-4 drams of bulk or 26 grains dense powder, 1-1-2 ounces of No. 6 chilled shot.

Question: Is trapshooting being taught in soldiers' camps? What good it is? Huns don't have wings.

Pittsburg, Mike Carroll.

Answer: Right you are, Mike, the writer agrees with you—they do not have wings; if decorated in the future, they would have trouble in keeping them from being singed. Wing shooting is being taught because it is especially useful in aviation work. Shotgun when used in trench work and properly directed are most efficient. Don't criticize, Mike, you will find that Uncle Sam is making very few mistakes, which are easily corrected and never occur a second time.

Question: Do you think there will be prosecutions under the late federal duck law? Would it be safe to shoot next spring?

Philadelphia, James Cruzen.

Answer: Those in authority say there will be aggressive prosecutions under the Federal Migratory Game Law hereafter. The law is logical and should be respected. Don't transgress. The sport to be derived will not justify the chances you are taking when conflicting with government edicts.

Killed on the Milwaukee tracks last Thursday.

Rev. F. A. Graham of Ashton was called here to officiate at the funeral services of Harry Strawbridge on Thursday morning. The Masons had charge of the services at the grave.

Frank Chase is painting his residence.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet in their October meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Bowles.

Mrs. Lucy Herrick has gone to Chicago to spend the winter with her daughters.

HARMON.

Mesdames F. H. Hettinger and T. A. Long motored to Dixon Tuesday.

B. B. Clatworthy has returned from Minnesota where he has been for some weeks looking after farming interests. A sister, Mrs. William Clatworthy, returned with him for a brief visit.

Clifford Hill has gone to Ames, Ia., where he will enter the college for

INJURED GIRL IS REMOVED TO HOME

Miss Eugenia Brotsch, of Chicago, granddaughter of Mrs. Frank Gennet of this city, who has been recovering in a Chicago hospital from a serious accident in a printing press which necessitated the amputation of one limb below the hip and which threatened the loss of the other, was taken to her home this week.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS

FROM OGDEN MOORE

The following letter is from Ogdan Moore, with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, where he was wounded. Mr. Moore is now in a U. S. Base Hospital in Portsmouth, England.

Sept. 15, 1918

Dear Friend:

Another day, another dollar. It is a rotten day so will try to put in my time writing letters. Time drags heavily on my hands. All I do is smoke my pipe and read.

I am getting better fast now and am able to walk around, was to the city Friday for the first time. Every thing is new to me and I enjoyed it. I am now able to walk around fairly well and I owe it all to Capt. Donhauser, of Albany, N. Y., he sure is bringing me out fine.

How are things in Dixon? About as slow as ever, I suppose, with all of us tin-horn sports gone. I don't know where the boys go; we don't see any of them.

I don't know any news so must close. Go over and see mother as often as you can.

Love to you both,

Ogden.

Write often.

training.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long have been visiting in Peoria for a few days.

Joseph Long motored to Oregon Tuesday.

Mrs. Clifford Wicher is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Charles Niclaus passed away at 10 o'clock Monday evening, death resulting from complications. The remains were taken to Amboy and shipped from there to Bloomington, where funeral services will be held. She had resided in that city before coming to Harmon four years ago. During her life in Harmon she affiliated herself with St. Flannin's church and was respected and admired by all who knew her. The obituary will appear later.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Hill and son Lawrence visited in Tampico Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Lund and children were entertained at Sunday dinner at the Lynn Parker home.

The M. E. church goes will be gratified to learn Rev. J. B. Kenna will be returned to Harmon for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ross and Miss Ester visited over Sunday in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. McCarter were Dixon callers Monday.

Mrs. Anna Burke and children are moving to Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark visited in Tampico Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Sutton and family visited Sunday at the John Sutton home.

Miss Lela Parker spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker.

John Demming will move on a farm near Walnut the coming year.

Mrs. Fred Bite of Sterling will reside with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Manning, while her husband is in the service.

The H. D. club met with Mrs. Frank Hettinger Thursday afternoon. A nice program was enjoyed by those present.

The dance given at St. Flannin's hall Wednesday for benefit of the Red Cross, was a splendid success. The Red Cross quilt, which brought \$125, was won by John Lynch, of Utah, and was disposed of at the close of the dance.

Mrs. James Ryan and Miss Lynch are entertaining their brother, Mr. John Lynch, of Salt Lake City, Utah.

COMB SAGE TEA IN FADED OR GRAY HAIR

If Mixed with Sulphur it Darkens so Naturally Nobody can Tell.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the grayhair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Fred Dimick and Judge Crabtree were here from Dixon Thursday enjoying a visit with friends.

Jacob Graves was a morning passenger here from Amboy Friday and spent the day visiting old friends and neighbors.

Frank Bieschke left for Chicago by way of Mendota Friday where he will enter the new position he has accepted with Carson, Pirie company since resigning his position here as clerk in the Meyer store.

Charles Guffing and Anna Becker motored to Mendota Wednesday evening, where they attended the movie "To Hell With the Kaiser."

Word comes from Blunt, S. D., of the recent marriage of Miss Anna Abel, formerly of this village, to John R. Seiling, a former Sublette lad, and now home on a two weeks' furlough after serving four years in the navy. The young couple made their acquaintance when Miss Abel was telephone central at Sublette some years ago. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. B. Cook, of Blunt. The following day they left for Dixon, where they will make their home temporarily with the groom's parents.

Grandmother Hibsche has gone to Mendota where she will live with her daughter, Mrs. Walzer, during the winter.

The boys of the intermediate room were busy about town last week soliciting the public for a small donation towards a new flag which they wish to display from the staff of the tower. It has been some years since Old Glory has flown from this staff and we shall all be glad to see it again. The flag is to be 5x8 feet and of wool.

John Erwin motored out from Dixon Friday and spent the day with friends in regard to matters of his profession.

Charles Clopine was a business visitor here Friday from Viola.

Claude Gehant and Gilbert Malach returned from the city on Saturday evening after being taken into the government service. They enlisted in the tank service and will be called upon soon to report for duty at some camp in South Carolina.

Frank Knauer had a narrow escape when leaving for home Friday evening, going down the graveyard hill north of town. His lights suddenly went out and the machine turned turtle and landed in a ditch. He suffered no injuries and but little damage was done to the Ford.

Edward Henry sold a new touring car to George Gehant Wednesday.

Bert Pye motored down from Paw Paw Friday and called upon friends.

C. J. Betz and brother, E. C. Betz, of Mendota, returned from Chicago where they had been in quest of sheep which they will bring to their farms and fatten for the market.

George Schnuckel was here from Welland Tuesday posting the election notices for the coming fall election.

Adolph Bauer returned from South Dakota Monday where he spent a week visiting many of his old acquaintances formerly of our neighborhood, and on the lookout for any bargains in land.

Joseph Kuehne is busy these days laying the tile which will drain the street in front of his residence on First street.

Morris July returned home after spending a couple of days here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Gehant.

Dan Cupid has been busy in this locality in spite of the war and draft and the marriage of Miss Barbara Barr to Eugene Donley of DeKalb has been announced.

H. A. Bernardin is overseeing a gang of workmen at work on the Dr. Chandler farm in the swamp in the process of erecting a new tenant house.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Montavon welcomed a baby girl to their home last Monday.

Charles Bradshaw was a business caller here Wednesday from Compton.

In order to arouse interest of the pupils attending school, Miss Lally, the principal, has made arrangements with the correspondent for publishing the names of those pupils who are neither tardy nor absent during the month. They are as follows for September:

Primary room, Miss Emily Jean-guenat, teacher—Kathryn Herman, Helen Gewecke, Lionel Chaon, Mary Danekas, Thad Meyer, Harold Michel, Herbert Long, Margarette Songer-oth, Oswin Halbmaier, Rita Hoern-er.

Intermediate, Miss Helen Meeks, teacher—Evelyn Derr, Hilda Hoern-er, Esther Michel, Eva Songer-oth, Mamie Songer-oth.

Grammar room, Miss Margarette Hersam, teacher—Bernice Stroup, Esther Gewecke, Rosetta Chaon, Otto Meyer, Pearl Stroup.

High school, Miss Genevieve Lally, teacher—Ida Maß Fuller, Georgia Derr, Irwin Knauer, Ruth Longbein.

Deputy Sheriff Schoenholz went to Joliet Friday with Robert Johnson, colored, who was sentenced to 25 years in the penitentiary. Johnson was indicted by the recent grand jury for the crime of rape and having pleaded guilty was sentenced by Judge Baume.

Sylvia Clopine.

Total enrollment for September, 73.

The splendid fall weather and the condition of the corn has given some of the farmers in this locality the corn picking fever and some are tempted to start with the new week.

August Kolunzick was here from Mendota Tuesday visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Edward Henry, Sr.

John M. Bittner motored up from Shaw's Tuesday and called upon his many old friends and neighbors in this locality.

The directors of the farmers elevator held their regular monthly meeting last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Nelles have returned after a four weeks' auto tour and hunting expedition in which time they reached as far west as the

Black Hills and were obliged to discontinue their trip to Montana as planned, an account of road conditions. They report a fine time and lots of game.

H. P. Stein was here from Compton Tuesday on business.

The military authorities sent word to F. L. Oester to the effect that his son, Arthur, who enrolled at the Dubuque training school, had been taken ill with a severe cold and high fever.

Mrs. Michael Barr and daughter motored to Mendota Monday where they spent the day shopping.

Henry Glaser was here from Scarborough Wednesday calling upon old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Auestetter have returned to their home in town for the present.

WANTED

Name and Address of every Farmer, Farm-Hand and Renter who wants to secure a choice irrigated Government homestead, on the Shoshone project in the famous Big Horn Basin of Wyoming just east of Yellowstone Park, where the climate, soil, transportation facilities, and markets are all that they should be. No drawing. You pay the Government the actual cost of installing the irrigation system and the maintenance charge only, and they give you the land Free. No payment due for five years, after first \$2.60 per acre is paid. Twenty years allowed to make full payment. No interest.

WRITE TO-DAY FOR PARTICULARS.

S. B. HOWARD, Immigration Agent
C. B. & Q. R. R., 407 Q. Building, Omaha, Nebr.

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And that is one reason you will find an account with this Bank so valuable. In our everyday business relations, you will see reflected a spirit of cordiality and friendliness.

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W. G. McADOO, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILROADS
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Select Seed Corn Early

Many costly lessons showing the importance of picking seed corn early have been learned in past seasons.

Last Spring we had an expensive lesson. The loss due to poor seed runs into many thousands of dollars every year.

Seed corn gathered before a hard freeze and stored in a well ventilated place where moderate temperature prevails, should be strong in vitality at planting time.

There is no better insurance for a good corn crop than seed picked early and properly cared for. Poor seed is the greatest single cause of poor yields.

Patriotic farmers will gather two or three times as much seed corn as they expect to use in order that a condition such as prevailed last Spring may not occur again.

The time to do this is NOW. All progressive farmers realize this and know how to pick and store their seed. It is only a question of doing it before it is too late.

S. B. HOWARD, Agricultural Agent.
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Telegraph Want Ads

—FOR 25 WORDS—

One Time	25
(1c for each additional word)	
Three Times	50
(2c for each additional word)	
Six Times (one week)	75
(3c for each additional word)	
Twelve Times (two weeks)	\$1.25
(5c for each additional word)	
Twenty-six Times (one month)	\$2.25
(9c for each additional word)	

WANTED

WANTED. We pay highest market price for rags, rubber, iron, hides, wool and paper stock. Also junk and second hand automobiles. Will call for your orders promptly. Your business greatly appreciated. Always call Phone 81. J. Snow, Dixon, Ill. 481t

JOB PRINTING and will give you an estimate at any time on any job. Call phone No. 5.

WANTED. Men. Apply at the American Wagon Co. factory. 165 tf

WANTED. Business men who are in need of ledgers, cash books, day books, etc., to call No. 5 and make an appointment with our special representative who will be here in a few days with a full sample line of the above. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., Dixon, Ill.

WOMEN WANTED. Salary \$24 full time, 50c an hour spare time, distributing guaranteed hosiery to wearers. Permanent. Experience unnecessary. Apply Guarantee Mills, Norristown, Pa. 210-183

WANTED. An elderly woman to take care of sick woman. Apply to Michael Duffy, 450 Chestnut street. 219-tf

WANTED. Second girl. Apply Mrs. W. J. McAlpine, 204 Ottawa ave. 225-tf

WANTED. Night stock clerk. Apply at Sandusky Cement Co. office. 231-11wk

WANTED. Oiler for power house. Apply Sandusky Cement Co. office. 231-11wk

WANTED. Woman or girl to do general housework. Washing done by electric washer. Good wages. Apply at 625 W. Second St., Mrs. B. Hasselton.

WANTED. To rent a modern five or six room house, not too far from business center. Address Earle Buck, general delivery. 23513*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. House of six rooms and bath, furnace, gas, city and cistern water, hot and cold water on both floors, large basement of two rooms under whole house; lot 50x150, large shed with cement floor, also chicken house; located 514 Dixon avenue, 4 1/2 blocks from court house. Call phone Y-428. 232-tf

FOR SALE. 120-acre farm, 2 miles north of Waukegan, 75 acres under cultivation, balance pasture. Good buildings. A. F. Dillman, Dixon, Route 1, phone 9310. 207tf

FOR SALE. Nearly modern cottage, corner iron avenue and 5th street. Good location. Enquire at 317 E. 3rd street or phone Y-414. 220-tf

FOR SALE. Hard coal base burner. Enquire of A. Turner, 414 Boardman Place, or phone Y-272. tf

FOR SALE. Must sacrifice large double, two-story house and lot. 28, Highland Park add., Dixon, Ill. Fine location. Cost over \$8,000.00. Make offer. C. W. Farr, Maquoketa, Iowa. 202-tf

FOR SALE. Registered Chester White spring pigs, either sex, yearling boar, first prize Lee county fair, also two Shropshire rams. Phone Lee 26-11. I. W. and C. V. Herrman, Steward, Ill. 229tf

PRIVATE SALE. Household furnishings. All practically new, and in first class condition. Phone K1110 for appointment. 23413*

FOR SALE. Fenders, flashings, hood and radiator shell for 1918 Ford. Perfect condition. Call evenings. 919 S. Galena Ave. Tel. Y 535. 23513*

FOR SALE. 4 horse gasoline engine and pump. Very cheap. Also pressed and common brick from Rock River Military Academy. Geo. C. Loveland, trustee. 23413

FOR SALE. Breed Durocs, the popular hog. Big, husky, spring boars with the best of breeding at reasonable prices. Adam Salzman, Dixon, Ill. Telephone 32130. 233-126*

FOR SALE. A scholarship in both bookkeeping and shorthand courses. Good in either Brown's Business College, Sterling or Freeport, Ill. Address Box 39, Sterling, Ill. 210-tf

FOR SALE. 30 thoroughbred Poland-China boars. M. H. Brimblecom Son, Polo, Route 3. 222-124*

BUREAU COUNTY Big Type Poland China Breeders' Sale. to be held at the fair grounds, Princeton, Ill., Oct. 31, 1918. 40 spring boars. The smallest boar in the lot will weigh 250 pounds on sale day. This offering carries the blood of the most noted sires of the breed. For catalog, address Bureau County Farm Bureau, Princeton, Ill. 225-1mo.

FOR SALE. 10 roll shredder in good running order, cheap if sold by Oct. 25. F. L. Eicholtz, Home phone L-14, Waukegan, Ill. 232-16*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT. Half of double house; modern; in good location. Phone X829. 183tf

FOR RENT. House of 6 rooms, West Third street. Inquire at G. J. Reed's Furniture store. Reference required. 23513

FOR RENT. The store building at No. 108 Galena avenue, formerly occupied by L. E. Edwards. For particulars inquire of Mrs. Rosa Jordan. 207tf

FOR RENT. 7-room house with city and cistern water inside, in Truman's Court. \$12.00 per month. Phone 132. 217-tf

FOR RENT. Seven-room upstairs flat, 315-17, First street; stove heat, otherwise all modern improvements. Well arranged for roomers. Call A. C. Bardwell, Phone 303. 217-tf

FOR RENT. Six room house, all modern improvements, including stationary laundry, located on West Chamberlin St., near John Dixon Park. Inquire at Henry's Shoe Store or call phone 477. 232tf

FOR RENT. At once, a 6-room house in Johnson and Avery addition on the north side, known as the Steel place. Good outbuildings. I will be at Bowser's Fruit Store, Saturday night. C. W. Steel. 233-14

FOR RENT. Flat with gas and water in house at 111 E. Fourth St. Phone 46. A. W. Leland. 234tf

FOR RENT. Nicely furnished modern home, one block northeast of milk factory. Furnace, gas and bath. \$20 per month. Telephone Y-1155. 23413

LOST

LOST. Garnet brooch on Galena avenue or downtown district. Reward if returned to this office, or finder may call Y-740. 23513

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.
To Carrie Olson, Thorbor Weeks, Guri Knutson, Eliza Eden, Mary Edner, Mary Beela, Elsie Risetter, Carlina Lind, Olaf Rodge, Lewis Rodge, Solomon Rodge, John Rodge, Nils J. Rodge, Martin J. Rodge, Robert O. Jacobson, Gertrude E. Gogge, Herbert R. Jacobson, Mrs. Josephine C. Williams, Elvin J. Jacobson, Rosalie C. Rodge, Lars O. Rodge, Mrs. Ole Espe and Dr. Jacob O. Rodge, heirs at law and legatees, so far as known, of Jacob Olson, deceased, late of Lee County, Illinois.
You are hereby notified that application has been made to the County Court of said County for the probate of the will of Jacob Olson, deceased, and that the hearing of the proof of said will has been set by said Court for the 11th day of November, A. D. 1918, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Dixon, of said County, when and where you can appear, if you see fit, and show cause, if any you have, why said will should not be admitted to probate.
FRED G. DIMICK, County Clerk.
Oct. 11, 1918.
Oct. 12, 19, 26.

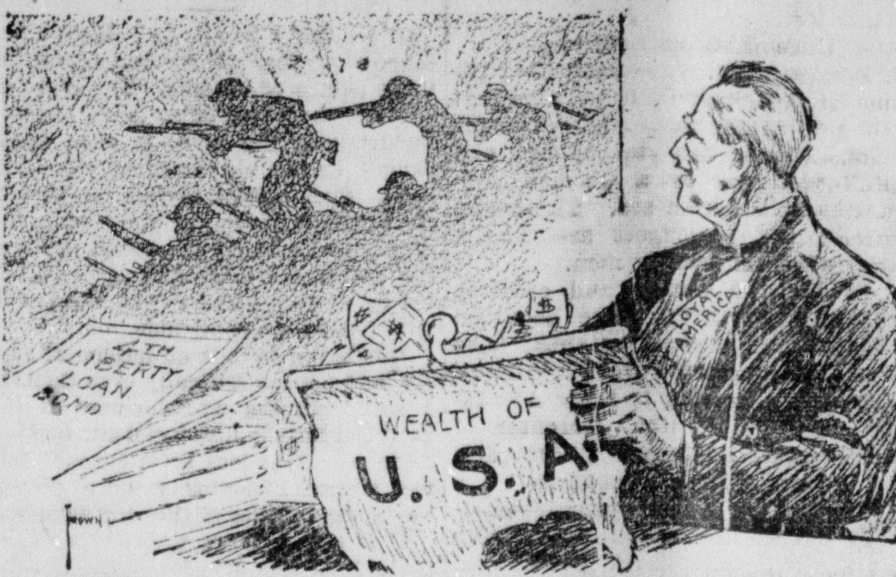
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BACK THEM WITH THE MONEY THEY MAKE SAFE FOR YOU



LIBERTY CHORUSES BIG AID

Americanization of the Foreign-Born Helps Boost the Fourth Loan.

There is a marked difference in the third and fourth Liberty loans in the amalgamation of foreign-born citizens with those of native birth.

"Since the third loan we have come to know each other better and to appreciate the contributions each makes toward the new democracy which is the outgrowth of the war," said Mrs. Constantine Howard of the Foreign Language division.

The Liberty chorus of more than 100 voices—representing 32 nationalities—organized under her leadership, is one of the great features of the present campaign.

"In the previous campaigns the foreign-born workers limited their efforts largely to awakening an interest in bond investment among their own nationalities. Now," continued Mrs. Howard, "they are selling the bonds to us, but owing to a difference in organization the amounts subscribed to the fourth loan by the various nationalities will not average so much in reality as they have done heretofore."

"Their enthusiasm has awakened an understanding of the real purpose of the war both among their own people and among native-born Americans. Those who came here seeking freedom from oppression have taught us by their enthusiasm to value ever more highly that liberty of which we once sung perhaps more with our lips than our hearts."

"The ever increasing demands for the appearance of the Liberty chorus in Chicago and throughout the district at patriotic events is the best proof of the responsive chord which our foreign-born peoples have evoked in American consciousness."

"Through the Liberty loan and the need for universal sacrifice for a common cause has come a wealth of civic betterment, as well as the necessary funds to carry on the fight for world-wide liberty. We are being welded into a united peoples through sacrifice. The gold stars which dot the service flags all over the nation—the lending of every available dollar has united us. 'What is your community doing to stimulate this social consciousness into active patriotic expression? If you are allowing a line to remain between foreign-born and native Americans the true message of the Liberty loan is not reaching the inner consciousness of your community."

"This work of Americanization will go on when the immediate need for raising funds to fight the war to a finish has passed. Nothing can be more inspiring or hopeful for a correlated community life than the entire obliteration of racial differences which had its beginning during the third loan."

BUDGET YOUR BOND BUYING

By MISS GRACE DIXON, Federal Reserve Director for Women Seventh District.

Budget your bonds. Include payments on Fourth Liberty Loan bonds with the meat and groceries—as essentials of every-day life. Surely Government insurance is as necessary an investment as fire or life insurance, which are included in the regular expenses of the household.

If you have never tried a budget, start NOW. Sit down and figure what must be set aside for actual necessities, for recreation, charity, or as a sinking fund. Ask yourself whether the amount is adequate.

Then inventory the amount of bonds you are now carrying. Ask yourself whether that amount is adequate in comparison with your table or the sum you spend for amusement.

See if you cannot increase your subscription before the close of the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign. A first payment now—even if made at a sacrifice—will give you courage to meet future payments.

Place your bond payments at the beginning—not the end—of your budget. They are the greatest investment in the world for you, yourself, for your future success and your peace of mind when "the boys come home."

"YOU LEND AS THEY FIGHT."
"MR. BUSINESS MAN, YOU'VE NOT BEEN HIT UNTIL YOU'VE LOST AN ARM OR A LEG—BUY ALL THE BONDS YOU CAN."
"THAT'S YOUR SHARE IN LIBERTY BONDS? ALL YOU HAVE IN THE BANK AND ALL YOU CAN SAVE."
"WHAT KIND OF A FIGHTER ARE YOU? ANSWER, 'HOW MANY BONDS HAVE YOU BOUGHT?'"

Mrs. Canode and daughter, Miss Mary, of Oregon, were Dixon visitors Thursday.

CHATEAU THIERRY BOY TALKS

Put the Liberty Loan Over From the Jump, Says Wounded Hero.

By PRIVATE SIGURD ARNVIG, A Chateau Thierry Hero.

[Arnvig gave a leg at Chateau Thierry. He had been in the United States only eighteen months when he volunteered on the outbreak of the war. He is now helping put the loan over in Chicago, on crutches.]

At the Chateau Thierry fight the Yanks were given a position to hold. The French officers in consultation said we were a unit in the strategy—we needn't hold absolutely—we might yield temporarily, go back a little, retreat here and there.

Well, we couldn't see the use of not holding a position we were to hold. We didn't want to go back when we were supposed to go forward. The Stars and Stripes look best at the head of the parade, anyway. And so the others had to do the falling back. We went right ahead—strategy or no strategy—and we took the objective. We gave all we had; we put 100 per cent of our best into it. We stopped the Germans right away—all at once.

Now I have an idea that the way to put over Fourth Liberty Loan drives is just that. If we have a six billion dollar loan to put over in a few days there is just one thing to do: Put it over from the jump. What's the good of strategic stalling and postponing? Let's go to the objective without stopping for breath. Do it as we won out at Chateau Thierry. Hit hard, keep going, and never slow up until the objective is attained.

DON'T DISAPPOINT THE BOYS

Pershing Troops Want to Beat the Germans and You Can Help.

A disappointed boy is one of the most tragic things there is. When a boy wants something, he wants it desperately, with every nerve in his brain and body.

And if he fails to get it he is overwhelmed, hardly able to go on living. THERE IS JUST ONE THING PERSHING'S BOYS WANT.

You know what that is: To beat the Germans. And they know it can't be done without all the money the people at home can spare.

They know, too, that the hour has struck for us to give that money. They will learn right away whether the Fourth Liberty Loan is being fully subscribed or not.

They will be sitting there in their trenches, the dugouts, or the "X" huts waiting to find out.

Can't you imagine the cheers when they hear the loan has "gone over?" Can you imagine them disappointed? ARE WE GOING TO DISAPPOINT THEM?

NOBODY EVER DOES ENOUGH.

This officer was at home with a shattered arm and several other wounds. Work of the most arduous kind had won him seven "brisesques," or wound stripes. He heard that the offensive had been resumed against the Germans and he put on his "kit" to return to his company.

"But your arm is broken?" said his father. "No matter. I have a perfectly good plaster cast on it."

"You have done enough, anyway. Let the rest fight it out."

"Nobody ever does enough. Good-bye!"

That applies to every American who is asked to lend to the United States on fourth Liberty bonds. Buy more.

HELPING THE ENEMY



Ladies' engraved calling cards, wedding invitations, or announcements can be purchased of the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., 233-126*

PLAN FESTIVAL IN DIXON THIS FALL

(Continued from page one.)

be worked out by a committee of which John E. Moyer is chairman, and made public soon. The general nature of the affair is a progressive auction sale, in which there will be cores of booths on the business streets, in which will be displayed great heaps of articles donated by the citizens of Dixon and Lee County, which will be auctioned off by a number of auctioneers, the proceeds to go to the Woman's Council of National Defense to enable them to keep up their work of relief for the French wounded, civilian relief, child welfare and various other worthy and necessary war activities.

Many Were There. The council chamber was well filled by leading workers in the Defense Council and by Dixon men who had been invited to hear of the work of the county organization and to discuss the plans for the festival.

Mrs. Ralston gave a general explanation of the nature of the work, whom it benefited, and how gratefully it was received and how urgently it was needed. She then called upon the chairman of her various subdivisions in the county work, for reports. The reports of the heads of departments revealed a great many interesting facts and showed that the women are doing a truly wonderful work and accomplishing big things. Furthermore, it showed that their great work had all been financed by themselves.

Mrs. Armington, treasurer, read the financial report, showing that with all bills paid the treasury still has \$549.63. Many thousands of dollars have been used to buy the materials out of which the women are making garments and dressings for the wounded.

The report of Mrs. McWithy, county chairman on hospital garments, showed that the women of the county had turned out 1,771 hospital shirts, 426 pairs of pajamas, 207 day shirts and numerous gun wipes and blankets made from the scraps.

Mrs. Harry Warner, chairman of child welfare work, reported that in 12-1-2 townships in Lee county, 1077 babies have been weighed and measured, either by professional nurses or physicians, and every baby has been examined by a physician, who advised the mothers as to defects, or lack of them, in the children. Over 500 babies have been weighed and measured in Dixon. Besides the many nurses, and ten physicians, 40 Lee county women have been engaged in the work.

Miss Mary Wynn, librarian, told of the work being done by the Dixon Public Library in distributing instructions and pamphlets on food conservation.

Miss Mary Morrison reported that 1,033 pounds of yarn had been purchased and 943 knitted and sent back.

Miss Dimick told of her work in providing support for French orphans.

Mrs. Strong told of the work on surgical dressings, of which 5,480 have been provided.

Miss Decker told of the civilian relief work in Dixon.

At the completion of the report from the chairmen, the men in the audience, when asked for an expression, were glowing in their praise for the work the women had done and were doing, and were very emphatic in their assertions that the work should go on and should be financed.

War-time Footwear in Holland.

The manufacture of slippers with wooden soles and cloth tops is a war-time industry which has sprung up in Holland, reports the United States department of commerce. The upper and inner parts of the slippers are formed of twill, corduroy and woolen stuffs. All these materials are relatively cheap, and yet make comfortable and durable slippers. The cloth parts are made by hand and the wooden soles by machinery.

In view of the mounting prices of leather footwear, these combination slippers, which retail for the equivalent of \$1 a pair for the best quality, are selling rapidly. It is claimed that they are entirely satisfactory for wear in the home and are practicable for women engaged in indoor occupations.

OFFICIAL FOOD PRICES FOR LEE COUNTY

(Corrected by G. J. Downing, Oct. 5, 1918.)

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS—A heavy fine for overcharge is provided by federal regulations.

	Cost to Dealer	Retailer's Profit
Flour	\$10.70 per bbl.	60c to \$1.20
Sugar	\$8.56 to \$9.56 per cwt.	1c per lb.
Navy beans	11c per lb.	2c to 4c per lb.
Lima beans	14 1/2c per lb.	2c to 3c per lb.
Milk, evaporated	\$6.50 per case	1c to 3c per can
Milk, condensed	\$9.00 per case	1c to 3c per can
Pure lard	28c per lb.	4c to 6c per lb.
Lard compounds	25c per lb.	4c to 5c per lb.
Bacon	40c to 45c	4c to 8c per lb.
Butterine, per lb.	28c to 33c per lb.	3c extra for slicing
Corn meal, per lb.	4 1/2c per lb.	2c to 6c per lb.
Prunes	10c to 12c per lb.	1 1/2c per lb.
Rice	10c to 11c per lb.	2c to 4c per lb.
Pink salmon, per doz.	\$2.15 to \$2.20	2c to 5c per can
Red salmon, per doz.	\$3.00	2c to 5c per can
Creamery butter		3c to 6c per lb.
Cheese, brick or cream		4c to 8c per lb.
Eggs, fresh		4c to 7c per doz.
Broken mill pkg. bulk wheat flour		1c per lb.
Bread	8c to 12c	1c to 2c

REGISTRATION OF WAR BONDS IS URGED BY LOAN OFFICIALS

Important Information on Liberty Bonds Given Out by Government Officials.

Important information concerning the registration of Liberty Loan bonds, as given out by the bond department of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago contains the following quotation from a letter from the treasury department:

"With reference to accepting subscriptions for bonds to be registered in the names of persons giving only initials rather than the full name, I have to say that it is the intent of the department, not for its own sake, but for the sake of the holders of registered bonds, to have them registered in such manner as to enable the said holders, or their legal representatives, to dispose of them in the simplest and readiest manner. Bonds issued to women under their initials, or under the initials of their husbands, are not readily transferable in case of the death of the holder."

"Though letters of administration would be issued in the legal name of the deceased, and the bonds would be inscribed in her name, under her initials, or those of her husband, as the case might be, the letters of administration and the bonds would not agree as to the name, and therefore the administrator of Mrs. Sarah A. Smith, say, would have to prove that she and Mrs. Thomas W. Smith (or Mrs. S. Smith) were one and the same person. It is to avoid troubles of this character that the department has insisted on receiving the legal name of persons subscribing for registered bonds."

"Of course, the department cannot refuse to issue bonds under initials if the parties interested insist upon it, but it is requested that you, in all cases where it is possible, insist on receiving the full names of persons subscribing for registered bonds."

"We'll All Go Broke If We Have To—But There's No One Busted Yet."

By WILLIAM HERSCHELL.

When I hear some folks complain 'Tbout the burdens they must bear Just to keep our soldiers fightin' In the trenches 'over there,' Then I want to show a picture, One I saw th' other day, Of a little Belgian youn'un.

An' her granny, old an' gray, In each face was tears and terror, Born of Teuton greed and lust, An' I pledged my all to Freedom, If to give my all I must.

Then a new song woke within me, A refrain I can't forget; 'We'll all go broke if we haf t'— But there's no one busted yet!'

None of us is facin' hunger, None need fear to seek his bed Lest a demon in a Gotha Hurl a bomb from overhead. Here we go along a-singin' Only now and then we sigh, An' we never see a soldier.

'Cept our own a-marching by, Folks, we'd ought to be so grateful To each fightin' Yankee boy That th' sacrifice of givin' Should be measured as a joy.

So let's do our part—full-hearted— Smile and say without regret: 'We'll all go broke if we haf t'— But there's no one busted yet!'

Buy your Bonds—Load the guns: Buying Early halts the Hun.

Buy Your Bond Early— Wherefore delay? Head off Tomorrow— Sign up Today.

Buy Your Bonds now And 'save your face.' Delay and dodging Mean disgrace.

BRADSHAW HERE

Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Bradshaw, former pastor of the Baptist Church in this city, were in Dixon today for a brief visit. Rev. Bradshaw is now in charge of the Stockyards Community Clearing House, and his work, which is a big one, is financed by the large packing concerns.

Chris. Gross, of Franklin Grove, was in Dixon Friday.

Rev. G. A. Graf has just returned from a visit in Dubuque.

DAN M'INTYRE IS NOW OVER SEAS

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McIntyre, Highland avenue, received word Friday afternoon that their son, Daniel, McIntyre, Jr., has arrived safe overseas.

Mrs. Ruth McIntyre Hurd, Highland avenue, is quite ill with the grippe.

BROWN SHOE CO.

Women and Girls wanted to learn Shoe making. Steady work, good pay. Free Nursery for children.

MARKETS

Editor's Note—Because the quotations furnished by the various merchants of Dixon do not coincide, the Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those prices which seem most advantageous to seller or purchaser.

Oats—white, . . . 60, mixed, . . . 58
Corn 55c to \$1.35

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

		Cash	Pay	Sell	Carry
Creamery butter	.39			.67	.66
Dairy butter	.....	.50		.61	.55
Lard	.....	.28		.35	.32
Eggs	.....		.44	.50	.47
Potatoes	.....	1.35		1.75	1.60
Flour	.....			3.20	3.00

POINTS TO REMEMBER WHEN BUYING REAL ESTATE

1st.—See that the neighborhood and surroundings are good, and that transportation to it is satisfactory.

2nd.—Insist that the seller furnishes you with an Abstract of Title.

3rd.—If the seller can't furnish an abstract showing a good title, do not buy. Large investors, like Hetty Green and Sile Tompkins, require this, and you should insist upon receiving the same.

4th.—If you are "trading" properties, see that the other fellow hasn't inflated the price of his property so that he gets yours for nothing.

This is mighty important, for a couple of trades of this kind would put the other fellow in a gilded chariot and you in the County Home.

5th.—Have the property conveyed to yourself and wife by JOINT TENANCY DEED; then if either of you die, the survivor will own the property without the trouble and expense of going thru the Probate Court.

Go to any good lawyer and he will see to it that you receive the above, and that the hired girl doesn't get the property.

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TONIGHT

ALL-STAR CAST

—IN—

The House of Mirth

3 ACTS—STANDARD VAUDEVILLE—3 ACTS

This Theatre will be Closed
Until Further Notice.

364 AMERICANS ARE DROWNED IN WRECK

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many were hurled against the side of the ship.

About noon the ship was lifted on the crest of a high wave and dashed back onto the rocks, breaking her squarely in two. The mast snapped short, killing many as it fell on the deck. One section of the hulk turned sideways and emptied all hands still clinging to it into the boiling surf.

The other section of the ship became a plaything for the waves and was speedily ground to bits on the wave-pounded rocks.

Those on the ship who now remained alive, were all thrown struggling into the water, and their slim chances of getting ashore were dissipated by the floating, tossing wreckage of the ship through which even the best swimmer could not make his way.

Say 372 Missing.

A British Port, Oct. 11.—Of the 699 American soldiers on board the Otranto 310 were landed. Seventeen were rescued alive at Islay, leaving 372 unaccounted for.

Earlier Report.

Belfast, Oct. 11.—A grave collision in the north channel between the Irish and Scottish coasts has involved the loss of the American transport steamer Otranto and many lives of soldiers, officers, and crew. The vessel with which the Otranto collided was the Kashmir of the P. & O. line.

So far as could be gleaned at the time of cabling, the Kashmir's wireless and other gear had broken down and becoming unmanageable she crashed into the Otranto with appalling effect.

Splendid discipline was maintained, but in the terribly wild weather that prevailed, with a very high sea running, the task of rescue was attended with the utmost difficulty and danger, and a number of boats were immediately swamped and their occupants drowned.

Fear 900 Lost Lives.

It has been roughly estimated that about 900 of all ranks and ratings lost their lives, but this calculation is very indefinite, as complete details are not at hand regarding the fate of those on the colliding ships.

About 900 survivors, many injured more or less severely and all suffering from the effects of immersion and exposure, arrived in Ulster harbor on Sunday.

Otranto Reported Beached.
One survivor said that the collision took place about 8:30 Thursday morning, Oct. 3.—The Otranto is said to have been beached, so there is the possible prospect of saving it.

(The Otranto is a 12,000-ton steamer of the Orient line, and before the war was engaged in the Australian mail and passenger service. The ship was built in 1909.)

15 Lost on Destroyer.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.—In a collision between the United States destroyer Shaw and a British vessel Oct. 9, two officers and thirteen enlisted men of the destroyer were lost. Thirteen other members of the crew were injured. The collision occurred in British waters.

The destroyer was able to make port under its own steam, the navy department said tonight in announcing the collision, which, according to

reports, was caused by the jamming of the destroyer's steering gear. Lieut. George F. Parrott, Jr., of Kinston, N. C., and John D. Edwards of Backree Beach, Va., were the officers lost.

480 Lost on Leinster.

London, Oct. 11.—According to the latest estimate, 480 persons perished when the mail and passenger liner Leinster was torpedoed and sunk yesterday by a German submarine in the Irish sea. The vessel carried 687 passengers and had a crew of about seventy men.

Of the 150 women and children aboard, only fifteen have been accounted for. Several of these have died since they were brought to port. Among the missing is Lady Alexandra Phyllis Hamilton, daughter of the Dowager Duchess of Abercorn.

New U-Boat Campaign.

The sinking of the Japanese steamship Hirono Maru and the Dublin mail boat Leinster mark incidents of a new submarine campaign which the Germans launched about ten days ago, according to the Mail.

It adds that at that time renewed submarine activity became evident in various directions, notably along the routes followed by steamers carrying American troops.

It is reported that the new U-boats are much larger and more heavily armed than any which have been sent out previously by Germany.

HUNS BURN TOWNS

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prepare for a powerful push on the improvised enemy defenses.

Laon Is Trapped?

Paris, Oct. 11.—The Germans have begun a retreat from the portion of the famous Chemin des Dames which they have been holding, closely pursued by the French and Italian forces. They are attempting to escape from the converging attacks made on the ridge from the south and west.

The French already are in possession of Courtecon on the west and have crossed the Ailette at Grand Point. The allies hold all of the Chemin des Dames as far as the heights of Cerny-en-Laonnois.

Germans In Pocket.

The allied advances on this front and the rapid forward movement in the regions between Cambrai and St. Quentin are putting the Germans in the whole of the triangular district, which includes La Fere, Laon and the forest of St. Gobain in a pocket from which escape may be cut off.

Even should they attempt to evacuate, their progress will be most difficult as the Hunting line, behind Laon, between the rivers Serre and Sissone, already has been turned.

Allies Cross Aisne.

The rapid progress which is being made by the allies in overrunning the Chemin des Dames, long considered impregnable, is shown by the war office report of today, which says they have crossed the Aisne east of Oeuilly and also have gained much ground to the north of Berry-Au-Bac, which lies at the eastern end of the ridge which the road tops.

Chivy and Moulines have been captured.

Advance Across Suippe.

Further to the east, in the Champagne, to the north and east of Rheims, the advance of the allied troops has been rapid. They have crossed the Suippe river and established positions on the north bank of the stream at Warmeriville, Vandette, and St. Masmes, and between St. Etienne and Boult-sur-Suippe.

They have also made some progress along the front of the Arnes river.

Between these positions and the Argonne forest the American and French troops made swift strides northward yesterday. The report from the war office this afternoon showed that the infantry had reached and captured Semide and Mont St. Martin. They also hold Corbon and Brières.

IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if kidneys feel like lead
or bladder bothers you—Meat
forms uric acid.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications. A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

SIMPLY PLACE OF DESOLATION

Little for the Traveler to Enthuse Over
When He Visits the Old City
of Jerusalem.

The allies' advance in Palestine has taken them through Jerusalem and the little village of Jericho. The plain of Jericho, the scene of so many historic incidents in the past, is once again caught in the old glare of the spotlight. Such a light reveals too plainly the hopeless poverty of the people, the cracks and holes in the rough walls of the hovels, the fields and gardens, fallen by neglect into a riot of weeds and wild flowers growing rank.

It is better to look at Jericho at sunset, and not too critically even then. In a soft light the wretchedness of the thatched huts is less insistent, the jasmine and oleanders seem sweeter and the rugged Bedouins acquire picturesque in spite of dirt and squalor.

It is only a short walk through the plain from this Jericho of the present to the two other sites which have borne the same name. One, the Jericho of Old Testament, destroyed by Joshua, is only a memory, its reality proved by bits of unearthly walls and pottery. The third Jericho of the triangle is the Jericho of the New Testament, the city of palm trees which Antony bestowed upon Cleopatra and which she later sold to Herod the Great. Made gorgeous in the reign of Herod as a city of palaces, it is now only a wreck of stones and battered towers. The palms for which it was famous are gone, with the palaces and circus which they shaded. The plain of Jericho is a wilderness, bound to civilization by its many highways and its tiny village. A few miles to the southwest lies Jerusalem, connected with the village by the robber-infested road along which the good Samaritan traveled. All about the plain rise the cliffs, mounted by steep and winding trails. It is not an attractive region, but even if it were more wild and desolate than it is it would still be much visited, for at every step are landmarks of history.

GLADLY TOOK "WAR" BREAD

Horrible Thought Quickly Cured Small
Girl of Unreasonable Prejudice
Against the Article.

"Oh, mother, must I get war bread?" Little Daughter had been asked to go to the bakery for bread for her school lunch.

"It's wheatless day, dear." "But I don't like war bread. It's so dark and different. And the rules aren't for children, are they?"

"No, but you know we were asked to send one million bushels of wheat to the allies by May first. We have given our word, and our baker is trying to help by making this special bread, which has almost no white flour in it whatever. But, of course, if you don't feel you can help in this way, you may buy a lighter loaf."

"Little Daughter started off. In a few moments she returned. Mother unwrapped the package. There was the small, dark loaf, indeed different, but really most palatable and nourishing. Little Daughter's eyes were glowing.

"Mother, the baker asked me if I liked war bread, and I said I did."

Mother looked up in astonishment.

"But, my dear, you just said—"

"Yes, mother, I know I just said to you I didn't like it, but I was afraid if I told it to the baker, he would think I was a German."—By Jane Dransfield of The Vigilantes.

Bread Without Wheat Flour.

The New York Herald announces that a New York chef has a "wonder recipe for making bread without wheat flour." Jean Richeo, chef of the Biltmore hotel, is responsible for the recipe, and he now gives it to the country, without money and without price. Mr. Richeo told a Herald reporter the ingredients of the new bread are as follows: "Twenty-five pounds of rye flour, 25 pounds of graham flour, 25 pounds of corn flour, 25 pounds of crushed oatmeal, 1 pound of lard and 2 pounds of yeast." This, it is explained, is enough to make 150 pounds of bread. The yeast and rye flour should be mixed first and the others added alternately. Smaller quantities of bread can be made by using smaller proportions. The receipt doubtless is a good one, but it does not provide for bread without wheat flour. Graham flour is unbolthead wheat flour. So, while the bread is a wheat saver, it does not do away entirely with the use of that grain.

Resourceful and Brave Cook.

That a cook should perform an act of the utmost daring in the pursuit of his occupation as a purveyor of food seems almost incredible. Yet that is what was done by William B. Gray, a third-class ship's cook in the United States naval reserve. During the cold weather of last winter the Roanoke marshes in North Carolina were frozen and boats were unable to reach the keeper of a lighthouse, who was consequently in danger of starvation. Gray made a sled by putting runners upon a lifeboat, loaded it with food and hauled it across the ice, which was broken and tossed by strong and dangerous currents, to the lighthouse, thus saving the keeper's life and enabling him to continue at his post of duty. Gray is a native of North Carolina.

Some Financier.

"The fair defendant has been acquitted." "So I hear." "Is she thinking of going on the stage?" "Not yet. She's too smart for that. She's going to marry her lawyer, and save a corking big fee."

County Treasurer John E. Moyer, Charles Anderson, Deputy Treasurer W. C. Thompson and Mr. Fulmer, motored to the south end of the county, Thursday afternoon.



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A mixed Tea, lb.	40c
One doz. Sour Pickles	10c
Lowney's Sweet Chocolate	10c-25c
Libby's Potted Ham, can	10c
2 Quaker Cornflakes	25c
Pound Our Pride Pak. Pow.	20c
Bulk Lard Compound, lb.	30c
Armour's Oleo, lb.	32c
3 lb. can Monarch Pumpkin	15c

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